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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

There will be 820 delegates to the Chicago convention.

Lowell has received fresh honors. A prominent university has given him the title LL.D.

The Hungarians are said to be leaving the anthracite coal regions. Good riddance to bad rubbish.

Matthew Arnold was pleased with America in general and particularly delighted with Philadelphia.

Massillon, Ohio, is in a deplorable fix. Two of her citizens are claiming the office of mayor, and the whole town is excited and at sea.

There is a growing suspicion that Horizontal Morrison is depending on the faith cure to pull his tariff smasher through Congress.

The Philadelphia *Press* estimates that Blaine will receive 107 votes in the National Convention from New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio against only 48 for him from those three states in 1880.

It is said that a woman in Maine formed 530 intelligible words from the letters comprising the familiar word "incomprehensibility." She ought to be employed to define the Democratic position on the tariff.

England, having been somewhat jarred by an earthquake, should for consistency's sake, charge it upagainst the United States. It would harmonize beautifully with her growling at t is country about the dynamite business.

Forty-five thousand workmen are engaged in the watchmaking industry in Switzerland. In this country with improved machinery 1,000 workmen can turn out more watches than all Switzerland, and the timekeepers are just as reliable.

Salvini ridicules Henry Irving's legs to a London interviewer; but that doesn't matter. A pair of legs capable of walking off with some $200,000 of American cash in five or six brief months is not to be despised, even from the Italian point of view.

Hon. John N. Bailey of Huntingdon is mentioned as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President Judge in this district. Whoever is nominated should prepare for defeat, and A. O. Furst, Esq., the Republican nominee, is the man who will do it.

Between a Curtin and a Peale we ring up the Curtin every time. If a Democrat must represent us in Congress let him be an able and an experienced one. Where Republicanism is lacking ability is a small compensation.

Philadelphians now admire Matthew Arnold more than ever. Indeed, they believe that Matthew Arnold's gospel of light and sweetness should rank with that of Matthew the Publican—all because Philadelphia is the modern Matthew's favorite American city.

Occasionally the Philadelphia *North American* issues a stupendous number of 12 or 16 pages. This was the case on Wednesday, all the additional pages being filled with an advertisement of the Mercantile Appraisement list, which doubtless proves very remunerative.

The present Congress evinces a commendable disposition to wrest from the subsidized railroads a share of the millions that they justly owe the Government. But it must not rest content with good intentions; it will seriously disappoint the people if a law compelling a fair yearly share of the profits of the roads to be covered into the sinking funds shall not pass.

Capital Cullings.

Tariff, Bankruptcy, Pooling arrangements of railroads, Land Grants forfeitures, Money for the Mails, Money for the Navy, and Money for Pensions, are the important matters with which the toilers on Capitol hill have grappled of late. At one time both the Senate and House of Representatives engaged in debate on the same subject. While the chairman of the Ways and Means committee was making the inaugural address of the Tariff question in the House, Senator Morrill arose in the Senate making the remark that "Evil communications corrupt good manners" and asked permission to make a Tariff speech while the Bankruptcy bill was pending. Senator Beck had recently set the bad example of making a Tariff speech while the Educational bill was the order of the day, with the ostensible excuse that it might be the only chance afforded him to lay before the Senate and the people the iniquities of Senator Beck's speech. Senator Morrill said from the bitter epithets used by the Senator from Kentucky he had a preconceived th eory that the present Tariff system was wholly bad, and was ready, as a Brahmin would say, to believe a piece of sandal-wood to be a flame of fire. Senator Beck had served the stinging notice that Democrats who take the position of the Senators from Ver mont and Ohio would find no comfort in the Democratic camp after the National convention meets. He proposed to seize the political rudder at this convention and guide the ship of state with but one rag of bunting flying, inscribed, "Kentucky only." But suggested the orator, "What if Virginia" should insist on a tincture of iron? Or what if California or Florida should want some show in the timber? Or if Louisiana should refuse to swallow it without a lump of sugar? Or if Ohio should "bah! the Kentucky only" platform as swinish and without wool. Senator Morrill's speech was full of sarcastic thrusts and extracts showing the quadrennial devotion of the Democratic party to inconsistencies and to the latest popular breeze. The Kentucky platform, he said, was as well seasoned as could be expected after a bonded ripening of eight years. The party that had for years lacked the confidence of the country, that had been weighed in the balance, more than twenty years ago, found wanting, and forced out of power, was trying to return by sound of trumpet, and the administration of a horizontal dose against the industries of the country. The same old party was trying to give itself a new character and furnish itself with a new political catechism just as though its House of Representatives would not ship-wreck, by its mis deeds, the best and newest character, before the end of the first session of its official career.

Senator Morrill celebrated his seventy-fourth birthday recently by entertaining at his Washington residence a distinguished company. He has been in Congress almost thirty years. Twelve years in the House and nearly eighteen in the Senate.

Socially the post-Lenten season promises to be quiet, but not dul.. After their long rest, society people do not rush into gayety again. Arrangements have been made for many birthday parties, card parties, and kindred entertainments, but it is inferred that receptions and dinners are over for the season.

President Arthur and his son are now sole tenants of the white house, the President's sister and daughter, with their recent guests, having gone to New York. The former solace themselves with long rides in the afternoon, both being exceedingly fond of the recreation. Anyone driving at that time of the day through the Soldier's Home park, or the beautiful Mall extending from the White House to the Capitol, is sure to meet one or both. The President is generally in an open carriage with one or more friends, while young Allan Arthur may be seen on horse back in ultra-English riding costume. He is tall and slender, with dark eyes and Roman nose, entirely unlike the President.

The Two Parties.

There are now virtually only two great political parties before the people of this country. A comparison of them is therefore timely, odious as it must necessarily be to the party that sails under the title of Democracy.

These two parties in many of the States have lately met in State Convention, nominating officers, and expressing party convictions. The platforms drafted and adopted by that same ancient party, the unterrified Democracy, show it to be more unstable and unsettled than ever before. So far as the Tariff policy of that party is concerned it is extremely uncertain, the prevailing sentiment being in favor of a tariff for revenue only, leaving a protection to home industries entirely out of the question.

But our readers very well understand that the Democrats have no settled policy on any important question, and the inquiry seems pertinent: Have they a suitable candidate for President? One little boom sounded some time ago proved to be so Payneful that it was quickly dropped and a unanimous return seems to have been made to the head of the ticket of 1876. But Mr. Tilden continues to decline the hard battle and impending defeat which a nomination will bring to him. The gentleman pleads age as an excuse although he proclaims that his health is good, and jumps around and make pugilistic gestures with his arms to prove the assertion. Neither age nor physicial infirmities intimidate him, but he sees the danger of standing on an unsound platform which emanates from a more corrupt party. That's the truth of it.

But the Democracy is torn, dismembered and disabled by internal strife and ambitious leaders. Randall and Wallace make things too hot for peace and harmony in Pennsylvania. Wallace is the more brainy but at the same time the more tricky of these two leaders. He is the underdog just now, but the first undercurrent will bring him to the top again. Randall is perhaps the most honest Democrat that that party contains and deserves the Presidential nomination, but nevertheless Pennsylvania Democrats continue to hurrah for Tilden. Honesty is an investment which the leaders of that party do not appreciate.

The instability of the Democrats as a party receives illustrations frequently in the actions of its leaders. They will make speeches one day which will express decided convictions on important subjects and in Congress will vote in a directly opposite manner. This district has an exceedingly able representative in Congress. He is a man of brilliant parts and has been honored by his party in Congress. But although in making speeches before Centre county audiences he talks the soundest sort of protection, he nevertheless doles out sweet morsels of taffy to John G. Carlisle, the free trade Speaker of the House; eulogizes the Morrison tariff bill and then refuses to agree to its consideration. But time and space fail us to point out one tithe of the delightful incongruities of this aged party now seeking for a Presidential nominee.

Senator Lapham's resolution to amend the Constitution so that the President can veto objectionable items or general legislation on an appropriation bill is entitled to the favorable action of both the Senate and the House, and we hope that there will be no difficulty in the way of incorporating so judicious a measure in the organic law of the land. It is a step in the direction of simplification and common sense, and we need to take a few steps that way.

It is barely possible that history may again repeat itself and that the next president of the United States may be a man who has not yet

The Naturalization Laws.

In the May number of the *North American Review*, one of the retired justices of the supreme court, Judge Strong, has contributed an article upon the subject of our national laws of naturalization, which, the Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin* remarks, is commanding attention in every intelligent circle. Plainly he points out the defects in our system of naturalizing foreign born applicants, and the dangers which threaten our government from the evil are traced with unfaltering pen. He starts out with the assertion, the truthfulness of which must readily be conceded, that this government, above all others in the world, must always be what its people make it. For this reason alone, it is of the utmost importance that those upon whom citizenship is conferred should have a due appreciation of their responsibility, and of the effects its discharge will entail. It is shown that in 1820 the immigrants were less than two and one-half per cent. of the whole population, but in 1850 they constituted nearly ten per cent. In 1880 there were nearly seven millions of foreign born inhabitants in the United States, or thirteen and one-third per cent. of the entire population.

There will be a widespread acquiescence, in Judge Strong's opinion, that this subject, once of comparatively small moment, is now fast becoming one of the most important of public questions. The latitude which our naturalization laws are known to possess, the frauds that under them are not only possible in theory but positive in practice and the knowledge that time and again political parties, for purely partisan purposes, have overthrown the verdict as registered, by the rightly qualified people, under at least the seeming shadow of the law, are eloquent pleas in favor of its modification. There are those who are not satisfied with the liberal conditions upon which citizenship now is granted. The brief period of probation is held to be too long; the time of residence here before votes may be cast and office held of an unreasonable duration, when in truth it is, if anything, too short.

The Boston *Herald*, notwithstanding its own hostility to Mr. Blaine, cannot refrain when opportunity offers from having a little "fun" with the Republican opponents of that gentleman in Massachusetts. Tuesday of last week it published a statement that three of the best known Republicans in the State were engineering a Blaine movement right under the noses of the Edmunds men. The statement carried consternation into political circles and telegrams and reporters were sent off in hot haste to ascertain how much truth there was in it. The replies soon came back saying that the story was a canard, and that the gentlemen frightened were the victims of a practical joke. As each of the gentlemen accused are candidates for positions on the State's delegation to Chicago the object of the report may have been to injure their chance of an election.

The circus clown who dropped dead in the ring the other day was in the act of getting off one of the ancient jokes on the mother-in-law when his spirit suddenly departed and his body dropped to the sawdust. This should be an impressive warning to the multitudes who have fallen victims to the evil custom of slandering that useful being, the mother-in-law. Let them be thankful that vengeance has not yet overtaken them and let them at once reform.

The President has appointed a court of inquiry to investigate the charges of fraud brought by a Boston firm against Judge Advocate General Swaim.

They are still trying Frank James out west. This time he is before a

Mr. Tilden was never better. He was never feeling worse in the whole course of his life He is a living skeleton. He is an uncommonly stout party. His sands of life have nearly run out. He has just renewed his youth—laid in a new barrel of sand. He cannot speak above a whisper. He has the voice of a fog horn. He cannot see across his bed room. He has the keen, long range eyesight of an Indian. He moves with halting pace, dragging his feet. His step is the step of the lusty bounding ibex. His vital spark is well nigh quenched. He has vitality enough in him for ten ordinary men. He is a candidate for the Presidency. He isn't. He would accept he nomination. He wouldn't. [And so on, and so on, for half an hour.]—*Media American.*

The change of government in China seems likely to be less important in its results than was at first expected. Though it is reported that the anti-foreign party has gone into power, no deviation from the peaceful policy thus far pursued has taken place or been announced. The new Ministers may be and no doubt are intensely inimical to foreigners in general and Frenchmen in particular, but they have evidently not forgotten the very unpleasant experiences through which China passed the last time it came into collision with a European Power and they realize that enmity is a passion which is not always prudent to gratify.

There seems to be a loud call for the production of an invention to turn out the gas in hotels which are frequented by country guests. The gas seems to be doing its best to exterminate the people who blow it out; but the rural production of that class seems to be illimitable, and they are constantly rushing to the urban regions and their own suffocation. The latest case was in Chicago last week, where two elderly people blew out the gas and then retired to their everlasting rest. Here is a great problem for the inventive mind.

President White, of Cornell college, who will be one of New York's delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention, says he favors any candidate for president who is honestly in favor of civil service reform and who will devote his energies faithfully to enforcing the present law and paving the way for additional legislation intended to divorce the minor offices of the government.

Wherever republican state conventions are being held resolutions are being adopted in favor of protection to American industry. Wherever democratic state conventions are being held resolutions are being adopted either squarely indorsing tariff reduction or so cunningly constructed as to make it impossible to get at their meaning. These are significant facts.

The Democratic organs should commence rejoicing over a victory in Louisiana. The Democrats carried the state Wednesday "by a handsome majority," as the phrase goes. Louisiana is almost as sure as Kentucky or Mississippi for the Democrats.

The patent medicine manufacturers have formed a combination to prevent the sale of their nostrums at less than regular prices. Pills, plasters and bitters have a pretty strong grip on this country.

President Arthur will attend the dramatic festival at Cincinnati. He will wear his new Spring suit of clothes and make himself agreeable to the middle aged ladies.

Maryland added eight votes to the Blaine column on Thursday, and promises to add four more when the delegates-at-large are elected.

Ohio is for Sherman in a half-hearted way, much as New York is for Arthur. Both states are really

GENERAL NOTES.

Ireland's population is now 5,000,000—3,000,000 less than in 1841.

Up to the present time the Sault Ste Marie Canal has cost $3,000,000.

A five-foot vein of anthracite coal has been discovered at Black Hawk, N. M.

London now receives flowers from Italy as fresh as if they had been plucked but an hour.

Michigan raises one-half the world's supply of peppermint, the annual yield being 75,000 pounds.

The convict mortality in Alabama's State prison is larger than that of any other, except Mississippi.

The Sultan of Morocco has just held a celebration in honor of his marriage with his one thousandth wife.

A rabbit was caught in Oregon last winter that was web-footed, and could travel on snow where others would sink.

A good-sized fowl eats one-and-a-half bushels of corn in a year, or its equivalent. That's about three and two third ounces a day.

The 3-year-old daughter of Charles Blakeslee, of St. Petersburg, Warren county, fell into a pail of hot water and died from the effects of the scalding.

Military authorities say that 1000 of the best English soldiers with the improved arms can do ten times the execution that was done twenty years ago.

A young man giving the name of Henry Bonner is swindling people in the western part of the State by getting subscriptions for a fashionable paper that has no existence.

The residence of Judge Samuel Lupper, of Beavertown, Snyder county, caught fire from a spark alighting on the roof from a steam tannery near by, and was burned to the ground.

Dr. Charles F. Bean, of Chelsea, Mass., wants a pension because he weighs 443 pounds, his superfluous avoirdupois being the result of an attack of malaria fever which he had during his services in the war.

According to a London paper, a duel to the death is about to be fought between the young Duke de Morny, of mumming fame, and a young count, journalist by profession, whose name does not transpire.

While City Treasurer Arthur, of Reading, was standing at the window of his office, some person fired a bullet through the glass into the room. A similar assault was made recently on the principal of boys' high school.

A company of Indian boys and girls are at present at the homes of farmers in Bucks county, where they will remain during the summer They came from the school at Carlisle. They expect to hold a reunion during the summer

The editor of the Nashville *World* wrote that "all the windows in a certain dusty village looked as if they needed washing." The printers set it up "all the widows," and the *World* had some difficulty in making satisfactory explanations.

On Tuesday afternoon, April 22, a carpenter named Thomas Powers, while assisting in moving a barn at Mercer, fell from the upper floor and striking his breast on a manger below, received injuries which caused his death in a few minutes.

Religious sectarian agitation in Finland has assumed serious proportions. One John Kaulasy, a native of Osterbotten, has set up as pope, and is selling indulgences. An emissary of his was recently murdered while engaged in a propaganda mission.

Pope Leo XIII. expends daily $3,000 in salaries to prelates, servants, etc., exclusive of alms and subventions to the schools of Rome The total expenditures of the Vatician, paid out of Peter's pence and the interest of the capital left by Pius IX., are estimated at $2,000,000 annually.

In the town of York, Me., is to be seen a birch tree about forty feet high, the roots of which have lifted a block of granite computed to weigh 20 tons, about twelve inches. The tree is still growing, and the rock continues to be raised and pushed sideways at the rate of nearly an inch a year.

As a result of his extensive experience in building compressed-air locomotives for European trains, Colonel Beaumont states that one cubic foot of air under a pressure of 1,000 pounds to the square inch will convey a load of three tons a distance of one mile on any of the colliery tracks.

A fashionable wedding in India means more than it does in this country. It means unlimited hospitality to all the country round during the several days of the festivities. At the wedding of the Rao of Cutch 84,000 people were fed on the first day, 37,000, on the second and 26,000 on the third.

Charles Goodnight is a king among cattle kings in Texas, and has fenced in 700,000 acres with 250 miles of wire fence at the head of Red river, in the Panhandle His ranch contains nearly 25,000 acres more than there are in the entire State of Rhode Island, and he bought the whole at from 50 cents to $1 an acre.

Mathilda Levy learned from her husband how to play poker. Since the craze among the ladies for the little innocent game has become so general, she has lost a heap of money. Recently she pawned a lot of her husband's clothes to get money to buy chips with. He got mad about it and she tried to commit suicide with match water.

The bell at the temples of Kioto, Japan, was cast in 1628, and is 18 feet high, 9 feet in diameter and 9½ inches thick. Its weight is nearly 74 tons. About 1,500 pounds of gold are said to have been incorporated in the composition. Its tone is magnificent. When struck with the open hand its sound can be heard at a distance of 100 yards.

The Chinese Government is of the patriarchial style, and is one of the biggest things of the kind that ever existed. There is a branch of government for every known branch of human activity, moral, mental, religious, social and physicial, from the provision of the ritual

Poetry.

POPULAR SONGS.

"Nancy Lee" and "Johnny Morgan"
"Riding on a load of hay;"
"Does your mother know your out?"
"Gone" "Ten thousand miles away."
"Little Fraud" and "Annie Laurie"
"Tapping at the garden gate."
"Oh, 'tis jolly in the starlight,"
"When a fellow's a little late."

"Little Buttercup" and "Blue Bird"
"Fondly" "Courting in the rain;"
"Happy little maiden whispers"
"Will he never come again?"
And "'Tis nice to be a father"
"When the swallows homeward fly"
"Shilling Short" and "Credit Broken"
"Captain Cuff" "How's that for high?"

"Baby Mine" and "Little Barefoot"
"Why does mother stay so long?"
"Naughty man," "My darling husband."
"Do not sing to me that song."
"Little sweet heart come and kiss me,"
"For the old man's drunk again"
And "We we won't go home till morning"
"We shall meet"—"The three bad men."

"Now my heart is sad and lonely"
"When the band begins to play,"
And "I want to be an angel"
"Walking down Broadway."
"When the moon is brighly beaming"
"In the cottage by the sea,"
"Oh, there is no harm in kissing"
"The fellow that looks at me."

"Have you heard my love was coming"
"Bonnie Bessie o'er the sea,"
"Brown eyes has that little maiden"
And "A maiden fair to see."
"What is home without a mother"
"When the summer rain is o'er?"
"Captain Jinks" "How can I leave thee?"
Then—"Come in and shut the door."

"Once again the angels whisper"
"Put my little shoes away."
"What care I"—"Oh, Joy, Rapture,"
"Kiss me quick" "Sweet Ethel May."
"Good bye, sweet heart" "Rock me sister,"
"Dance me papa on your knee,"
"Don't forget to write me darling"
"When I am gone"—"Beyond the sea."

"When the purple lilacs blossom,"
"When the mists have rolled away,"
"We shall meet beyond the river"
"Horace Gresly"—"Making hay."
"Near the banks of that lone river"
"Woman's rights"—"No tongue can tell,"
"Whoa Emma"—"The cold wind whistles;"
"Say good bye, yet not farewell."

THE ARBUTUS.

Looks so shy and innocent,
Blushes like a startled thing;
Who would think it knew the whole
Of the secrets of the spring?

Keeps its rosy ear laid low,
Harking, harking at the ground,
Never missed a syllable
Of the slightest stir or sound.

Chuckled often in its leaves,
Thinking how the world would wait;
Searching vainly for a flower,
Wondering why the spring was late.

Other secrets, too, it knows—
Secrets whistled over its head;
Underneath its snowy veil
Oft these secrets turn it red.

Whisper on glad girls and boys!
Sealed the fragrant rosy wells;
You and spring are safe alike—
Never the arbutus tells!

Our Story Teller.

Love Beyond Price.

BY LOUISE D. MITCHELL.

The farm of the Willettes was a model of neatness and thriftiness. Never did the neighbors find a broken fence-rail or an untrimmed hedge, for in spite of the poverty of its owner and the want of help nothing was neglected. Farmer Willette was wont to draw himself up proudly and declare that although he had but one man, his son Tom, and himself to run the farm, no one in Hillside could boast of a prettier place, better-kept fowls and animals than he.

In the old-fashioned farm-house his daughter Jeanie made the domestic wheel revolve smoothly, while his gentle, delicate wife assisted in the lighter duties which Jeanie saw were even too much for her feebleness.

And so their lives ran on in one dull, monotonous routine, until an event occurred which caused a sudden turn in affairs.

Will Avery, the son of the richest man in Hillside, came down from the city, where he had been working, to his former home on a visit. He laughed at Tom Willette for plodding along on a stupid farm when he might make a fortune in the city. And Tom (foolish boy that he was), ashamed to confide his intentions to his father, and leave home in an honest, straightforward way, sneaked off in the dead of night, leaving a note which Jeanie found upon his pin-cushion, to tell his parents that he was tired of hard, country work, and had gone to the city to seek his fortune.

When the farmer heard of the flight of his son his wrath was fearful to behold, and in the heat of his anger he swore that Tom should never enter his door again; and he forbade any mention of his boy's name by either wife or daughter.

They obeyed him, and only when in the solitude of her own room did Mrs. Willette speak of her absent boy to the sympathizing Jeanie.

Nine months passed wearily by, and only once did they hear from Tom, who sent a letter to his proud father to crave his forgiveness; but the father's anger had not yet cooled, so he returned the letter, saying that he had no son, and he never wished to hear from the boy who once occupied that place in his home and affections.

Poor man! He had placed all hopes of future greatness in his only son, and no wonder the hard-working farmer found it a difficult task to forgive Tom for destroying his ambitious plans. He was not the man to complain to another of his misfortunes, and as he could not afford to hire another hand on the farm, he worked harder than ever, his tall figure began to stoop, and his iron gray hair became snowy white. He would go to the house at meal time, but was hurried and silent, then out again he would go, having barely tasted a morsel, and in answer to Jeanie's anxious look would say that he had no time to eat; he had too much to do.

That set Jeanie to thinking how she could lighten his cares, and she finally concluded to hurry over her own work and then take Tom's place on the farm as far as she was able; and it was a comical sight to see this young girl with the torn straw hat, faded dress, and with an old pair of Tom's stout boots upon her feet, whip in hand behind the plow, urging the old horses on. But Jeanie didn't care. Father had more time to rest, and she fancied he was losing the hurried, careworn look that had settled upon his face since Tom had run away.

As for Mrs. Willette, the anxiety and care as to how they should manage through the coming winter, and the feverish longing for her son, told greatly upon her already feeble frame, and one day Jeanie woke to the reality that her mother was dangerously ill.

"Father," Jeanie said, stopping the farmer as he was leaving the house—"father, I fear mother is sicker than we know."

"What!" shouted the farmer, unheeding Jeanie's motion to be quiet, "your mother sick? Why you must, be crazy, girl! She told me this morning that she wasn't agoin' to get up till after breakfast 'cause she felt tired like; but she ain't much sick, I reckon, else she would a told me;" and with a few words he hurried away, while Jean ran up to her mother's room and bent over the bed.

"Mother, dear," she whispered, tenderly, "do you feel ill? can I do anything for you?"

"They told me that my Tom had run away, and it isn't true; I know it is not," muttered the invalid, as she tossed restlessly about, while every now and then a moan broke from her lips.

Jean was very much frightened, for she could not understand how her mother could have forgotten that Tom had run away so long ago.

"Mother," she cried, laying her cool though hard hand upon her mother's burning farehead, "don't you know me? It is Jean—your Jean. Oh, what shall I do?" and with tears of helplessness in her eyes she prayed for guidance. Almost immediately a thought struck her.

Darting from the room and down the stairs Jean entered the kitchen, and seizing the old dinner horn she blew it repeatedly, then waited anxiously. Yes, her father's voice was hallooing to her. Once more the hoarse tones of the horn floated down to her father at work in the pasture, and it was with a sense of relief that she saw him striding rapidly toward the house.

"What is it, Jean, girl?" he asked, panting for breath, as he neared the house. In a few brief words she had told him all, and bidding her run back to her mother, he hurried to the barn. As Jeanie sat by the bedside of her mother she heard the clatter of the horse's feet. Running to the window, she saw her father riding rapidly toward the village.

"Where is Tom? Why don't somebody bring him from the field? I must speak to him," cried Mrs. Willette, excitedly. "Is he dead? John, John, you must forgive him—our boy—our only boy—oh, John!"

Her last words would have melted her husband's proud heart, could he have heard them; but he was far away, seeking the village physician, whom he fortunately found just stepping into his buggy to make a professional call; but Farmer Willette's startled appearance and urgent entreaty caused the doctor to change his destination, and they were soon driving toward the Willette farm.

Jean hurried forward to meet the doctor as he entered her mother's room.

"Is she very ill, sir? Oh, tell me!" she cried, grasping his arm in her excitement.

"Be calm," Miss Jennie, he answered, soothingly, "for I have only you to depend upon as a nurse. Yes, I fear that Mrs. Willette is a very sick woman." He once more bent over the invalid, who having swallowed a soothing portion, now lay quiet with closed eyes.

The farmer had stood eagerly watching the doctor's face, as he spoke to Jean, and he now stepped forward.

"I say, doctor," touching the physician and speaking in an awe-struck voice, "you don't mean to say that my wife is very sick, do you?"

"I am afraid so, Mr. Willette," was the reply as the doctor rapidly wrote a prescription and handed it to Jean. "Your wife was always a delicate woman, and she should never have married a farmer—least of all a poor one," he added in a low voice, yet not so low but that the husband caught his voice.

"No one knows that better than I do," the farmer mentally said, while aloud he asked:

"You will call again this evening, sir?"

"Yes," answered the other man as he softly closed the bedroom door and walked along the cold, carpetless hall followed by Mr. Willette; "yes, I will. But Mr. Willette, to be frank with you, your wife has some trouble on her mind over which she is constantly worrying; and, indeed, I believe that this trouble has partly caused the illness and—" he stood still, and the better to emphasize his words, he laid a hand on the farmer's shoulder, "and until that trouble is cleared away I can give you no hopes of her recovery. I did not tell your daughter of this, because I wish first to make it known to you."

"You are quite sure of this, Dr. Barlow?" the farmer asked, in a forced voice.

"I am, sir. Mr. Willette, your wife was very fond of Tom, wasn't she?" Dr. Barlow asked significantly; and without waiting for an answer he sprang into the buggy and was soon out of sight, leaving the farmer to awake to the astonishing truth that his wife's life was despaired of chiefly because he refused to allow the boy whom he had disowned to return to his home and his affections.

Slowly he donned his hat and returned to his work, feeling weaker and more unmanned than he had ever been before.

"Which means," he said angrily, but to himself, giving the old horse a sharp cut with the whip, "that I am to send for that boy. Pshaw! the doctor is a fool; he don't know what he is talking about. Send for Tom, indeed! No; he has made his bed, so let him lie." Thus for a time he dismissed the subject from his mind.

That night Hannah Briggs came to the farm house to attend to the house work, that Jeanie might give all her time and thoughts to her mother.

"Oh! how wearily the days and weeks crept by with no change for the better in the invalid whose never-ceasing cry was for Tom. Then she would imagine herself conversing with her husband.

"Oh, John!" she cried, piteously, "you don't know; perhaps he was tempted to go; forgive him for my sake, dear;" and yet for the sake of his stubborn pride her husband turned a deaf ear to her cry.

There came a time, however, when it was almost too late. Grouped about her bed that night were Jean, the doctor, and the farmer all waiting for either life or death, they knew not which.

Without, the night was most beautiful, so calm and so solemn. The gentle breeze moved lazily through the leaves upon the tall trees near the farmhouse with a sound like the rustling of angels' wings, while near by lay a soul battling with death.

As the watchers sat there in the dim light the old clock in the hall below struck twelve. A few minutes later and the sound of hushed footseps ascending the stairs and coming toward the sick room. The door was pushed steadily open and the figure of a young man appeared in the moonlight. Unmindful of the other occupants of the room, he moved toward the bed and bent over the prostrate form.

"Mother," a voice said low and brokenly, "mother, speak to me; it is Tom."

That simple word had an effect that all the doctor's medical skill had failed to compass. A smile faint but almost heavenly, curved the mother's lips.

"My Tom—John, forgive him!" The weak hand relaxed its hold upon the large brown one, and with a little sigh Mrs. Willette fell into a refreshing sleep.

"She is saved," Dr. Barlow whispered, thankfully, and involuntarily his eyes rested upon the farmer kneeling beside the bed, with his face buried in his hands, while deep sobs shook his heavy frame.

God's mercy had overwhelmed him. At last he arose, and with bowed head and quiet footsteps he stole from the room, and after a few moments' hesitation Tom followed him.

No one ever knew what passed in that interview—no one but God and the two men concerned in it. Suffice it to say that Tom never returned to the city, but worked humbly and thankfully upon the Willette farm, for Tom became more patient, more subdued than it had ever seemed possible for him to be. And gradually there arose a better understanding between his father and himself, for in the better lesson that they had learned they found that above and beyond all else there is to be desired that love that is beyond all price.—*Christian at Work.*

Champion Marksman.

Pittsburg Post.

Rev. W. L. McGrew, a young Methodist minister of Somerset county, was in Pittsburg this week on a visit to friends. He was the guest of Rev. Riley, of the South Side. On Thursday evening he went to Finleyville, Washington county, on a visit. Rev. McGrew is well known in Western Pennsylvania. He is a native of West Elizabeth, in this county. He has been a member of the Methodist ministry for probably twelve or fifteen years, maybe longer. It is not of his ability as a minister, but of his marvelous skill in shooting that this brief article will treat. Many of his acquaintances do not know that he is probably the finest marksman in America, not excepting Carver and Bogardus. From boyhood he has been passionately fond of firearms, and the expertness, celerity and accuracy with which he can handle a revolver, shotgun or rifle, entitle him to rank in their use without a known equal. He has never sought to make any display of his acquirements in this respect, because he has not coveted notoriety. Target shooting has been pursued as a pleasant pastime in his hours of recreation, and with no thought or desire of ever being brought to public notice by it. But the feats which he accomplishes with ease are so incredible that the *Post* is certain he will pardon its relation of some of them purely as a matter of interest to its readers.

Bogardus and Carver have never accomplished anything with shotgun or rifle which Rev. McGrew has not been able to duplicate. But he can teach them feats which, whether they can execute them or not, they have never attempted. One of these is the breaking with a repeating rifle of two ordinary glass goblets thrown into the air before either falls to the ground. He cuts one of the goblets in twain at the stem, lowers his rifle to his hip to throw out the empty shell and reload, and then breaks the glebe of the other. He admits his inability to break both at the stems, but is serene under the knowledge that he has never heard of any one able to duplicate even this feat.

Another thing he does is to shoot through the mouth of a pop-bottle thrown up in the air and knock the bottom out. The bottle is thrown so that at every revolution the mouth is presented to him. He shoots with a rifle through the mouth and knocks the bottom out. It takes a quick eye, steady nerves and accurate judgment, but Rev. McGrew does it.

These feats, he says, are comparatively easy of accomplishment. One that is still more difficult is to shoot with a repeating rifle two glass balls thrown in opposite directions from a trap. At the county fair last fall at Somerset he was invited to give a public exhibition of his skill. He consented to do so, provided the event should not be surrounded with any circumstances that would detract from the dignity of his calling. On that occasion he first broke thirty single balls thrown from a trap, hitting every one at the first fire. Then he tried his hand at fifteen double balls, and broke every pair. Of the sixty balls he did not miss one. All this was done with a rifle. Ex-Governor Hoyt was a witness of the exhibition, and pronounced it the most phenomenal display of marksmanship he had ever seen.

These are only a few illustrations of the capacity of Rev. McGrew in this line. His feats with revolver and shotgun are as wonderful as those with the rifle.

Short Temperance Talks, No. II.

BY MISS C. S. BURNETT.

No. 2.—Some of the mistakes you make.

By *you* I mean the very large class of highly respectable people who claim to be temperance men and women and yet are not prohibitionists. You were well pleased with "The Mistakes We Make," and frequently said, "That's so," while reading it. Be just as candid now and you will see that there is at least a mote in your own eyes.

First, you make a mistake when you call prohibitionists "fanatics," intending thereby to bring reproach upon them and the cause. Do you not know that "each age builds monuments to the fanatics of the preceeding?" Fanaticism is not of modern origin. Paul was a fanatic worthy of imitation. Wilberforce was a fanatic, and so were Garrison and Greeley and Lincoln and a host of others who were in earnest over the extermination of a crime not so great as that which we are fighting. If Gov. St John, Neal Dow, Miss Willard, and their host of followers are fanatics we will only say, "I would that you were not only almost but altogether such as they." You make a mistake in thinking the prohibitionists ought to abandon their party and vote for such men and measures as seem best calculated to promote the cause of temperance. The very insignificant "third party" of fifty years ago freed the slaves by closely adhering to principle until the "splendid minority" saw their principles inculcated in the platform of the great Republican party, and the minority was merged in the majority, and the right conquered and oppression ended. The temperance people will gladly give up their organization just as soon as the "great reform party" will insert a plank in its platform pledging the party to constitutional prohibition of the liquor traffic. We say "This one thing I do," and that one thing with whatever party that expects to receive the vote of the religious element of our country much longer must be prohibition of all that can intoxicate. The day of moral suasion alone is past.

My honest voter, you make a mistake when you suppose that the cause of temperance can be promoted and the liquor traffic suppressed, or even restrained, by license. Our country has had license two hundred years, and with what result? The increase of intemperance and the consequent vice plainly tell us. The license system justly assumes that the traffic is wrong and must be controlled. The objection to the system is that it does not control the trade. It does not limit the sale of liquor. It helps to make this systematized crime respectable. It involves the right to license other vices. I never could understand, though I have given much thought to the subject, how the putting a thing that is wrong on the statute book makes it right. The licensing of crime is itself a crime; and licensing saloons by the voter makes every such voter a partner in the saloon business and a guilty accessory of crimes resulting from the traffic.

License is partial prohibition. If liquor selling is right make it free to all; if wrong prohibit it. No other course is reasonable. My brother, do not again make the mistake of voting for license.

"A Perfect Gentleman Sir."

From the Columbus House Gazette.

"Who is that gentleman who has just gone out?" asked a traveler of a barkeeper in Dead Wood City the other day.

"That," replied the bartender, "that's a perfect gentleman—one of the most perfect gentlemen in the camp."

"Indeed!"

"Why, the other night over at Jack Rowie's game, he killed a man for something or other, and the next day he paid the undertaker's bill out of his own pocket and sent the widow a barrel of flour. It's true he made a big winning, and all that; but how many men do you meet nowadays with a great big heart like that? He's a perfect gentlemen, sir."

Patent News.

List of patents issued to citizens of Pennsylvania, for the week ending April 15, 1884; and total issues of that date, compiled exed expressly for this paper by Steele & Co., Patent Lawyers and Solicitors, Washington, D. C.

Process of forming shovels, E. A. Barnes, Pittsburg.

Machine for Making Eye Rods and Hook and Eye Hinges, C. Lanz, Pittsburg.

Hoisting Machine, J. C. McNeil, Pittsburg.

Preserve Jar Fastening, E. Rosenzi, Pittsburg.

Vehicle Spring, G. W. Morris, Pittsburg.

Manufacture of Sheet Iron, W. D. Wood, Pittsburg.

Operating Railroad Gates, J. Little, Philadelphia.

Triturating Machine, F. E. Boericke, Philadelphia.

Molding Plastic Material, C. M. DuPuy, Philadelphia.

Aquarium, A. Ledig, Phil'a.

Paper Bag, J. Onderdonk, Phil'a.

Leggin, H. J. Leiber, Philadelphia.

Ribbon Holder, A. Stevens, Phila.

Collapsing Cup, A. H. Wirz, Phila.

Machine for Making Matrices, R. L. Kimberly, Philadelphia.

Dissolving Cock, T. J. Mapes, Philadelphia.

Earth Remover, S. A. Miller, Philadelphia.

Folding Satchel, R. Moffley, Philadelphia.

Weighing and Supplying Apparatus, H. E. Smyser, Philadelphia.

Filter Press, H. Warden, Philadelphia.

Washing Raw Sugar and Apparatus Thereof, J. H. Tucker, Philadelphia.

Knock Down Crate, J. A. H. Ellis, Beaver Falls.

Elbow for Spouting, D. B. Rock, Fairfield.

Eye Glasses, J. Fox, Philadelphia.

Pneumatic Bell Ringing Apparatus, R. Garsed, Norristown.

Traction Engine, H. B. McMurray, Burgettstown.

Mail Bag, J. S. Bailey, Buckingham.

Car Wheel, M. Hamlin, Catawissa.

Apparatus for Agitating Liquor in Tan Vats, T. A. Mayes, Philipsburg.

Dental Rubber Dam Holder, R. H. Moffitt, Harrisburg.

Harness, J. M. O. Porter, Allegheny Co.

Safety Device for Locomotive Pilots, O. Rothrock, Beech Creek.

Tool for Boring Square Holes, M. Rothschild, Shamokin.

Car Wheel Lubricator, J. P Silliman, Allegheny.

Car Coupling, F. Baldt, Chester.

Glass Mold and Product Thereof, W. H. Prunt, Baldwin.

Coffee Mill Motor, A. J. Clark, Carbondale.

Fruit Jar, P. Lyon East Stroudsburg.

Total issue of April 15th, 1884.

Patents	384.
Designs	8.
Trade Marks	28.
Labels	31.
Total issue	451.

The Life of a Harvard Student.

College students study with all sorts of incentives. A few study all the time, when they are not sleeping and eating. They are ambitious to lead their class, or at least to get an average of 90 per cent. for the four years, or they depend upon winning a scolarship of $250 to carry them through, and so are often obliged, by reason of their only ordinary natural ability, to "dig" constantly for high marks. Another and a larger class of men are content with an average of 86 per cent. and do not care to grind for a degree with the highest distinction. They are fellows of good parts who usually take what course they like, Harvard students, remember, can study almost what they choose after the freshmen year—and who work faithfully every day. Men who do not care, or do not think they are able, to graduate with great distinction, study hard enough to get an average of 75 per cent. for their four years, and get degrees with distinction. They, as do all kinds of students, sometimes pick out soft courses, so called, and seldom hurt themselves with work, though they are far from being loafers. All these men would consider a course a failure if they didnt get "on the rank list" in it; that is if they didn't get 70 per cent. in it. About 100 men, I should say, in every Harvard class of 200 average below 75 per cent. in their studies. About a quarter of these are contented, or have to be contented, with simply "pulling through." If they haven't a condition in any study at the end of the senior year and have an average of 50 per cent. in all their studies for the four years, they get the coveted sheepskin. Some of them are very dull, some are very lazy, some are both, they take the softest courses and hire private tutors, and, usually, by vigorous bracing, work off all their conditions and get the required 50 per cent.

In Milwaukee, last week, Wilhelmina Maecker had Carl Steinert arrested, alleging that he had attacked her at a lonely spot on their way home from the theatre. At the preliminary examination, however, the plaintiff fell in love with the defendant and they were married in jail, the bride paying the fee.

The graded license plan in Chicago is hardly working the desired result, if reports are true, which state that up to the present date, out of 589 saloon licenses, 516 are for wine and whisky, and but 73 for beer alone.

All Sorts.

Girls look upon the engagement ring as a very promising affair.

However good a segar may be, some time or other it meets its match.

Although few have ever seen a shad swim, most everybody has seen a shad roe.

Some college boys, after titles, get that of A. B. And then, again, some get the G. B.

Make a man think he is a wag and he will weary you with the wag of his tongue.

If Prince Bismarck will come to this country and blow out the gas before retiring, all will be forgiven.

When you fret and fume at the petty ills of life, remember that the wheels which go round without creaking last longest.

"What is a dollar?" asks a writer in a Boston newspaper. It is what Mapleson charges for the poorest seat in the house when Patti sings.

Lord Scarsdale is going to establish a large butter factory at Kedleston, in England, after the pattern of the one which was started by the late Lord Vernon at Sudbury. Kedleston is the centre of an extensive and productive dairy country.

The Sandwich Islands are the popular resort for people on the Pacific Coast who wish to make a sea voyage for health, just as Europe is for the people of the East. The tourist travel to King Kalakau's dominions has doubled within the past year, and the ocean steamers now have full passage lists.

A funny story is told of Rev. I Stidham, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Columbus. One Sunday morning he was preaching very earnestly about profane swearing, when a three-year-old girl climbed up in her seat and yelled at the top of her voice: "Mr. Stidham!" three times. "Well, what is it?" inquired the preacher, somewhat embarrassed. "Why, my papa swears!" The account said the little girl disappeared rapidly, and the sermon proceeded to a congregation of flushed faces.

P. T. Barnum says he expects to make a million dollars this coming season. A committee of merchants called upon him and asked him to reduce his business in writing for the benefit of posterity. Mr. Barnum agreed to do so and it will be printed in book form. "One thing," however, he said he would tell them; "you do not, any of you, advertise enough. You ought to invoke in printer's ink every day. You are asleep and want your business to run itself. Standing advertisements command confidence. The man who for a year resides in a community and leads a reputable life, even though he be of moderate ability, will grow in confidence and esteem of his fellows. On the same principle a newspaper advertisement becomes familiar in the eyes of the reader, and its presence in the columns of a newspaper inspires confidence in the stability of the advertiser."—Philipsburg *Ledger.*

"Jim," said one of two colored men, who were roosting on the post-office steps, "what's de staff of life?"

"Wattah," promptly responded Jim.

"Yoh wrong, yoh is," said the other; "it am whiskey, Jim, dat's what it ar."

"Den all I'se got to say is it am a mitey pore staff to lean on, an' lets you down ebery time," answered Jim.

"Korreck," said the other; "I 'spects you princerples, an' it am my turn to treat. Will you hab de wattah hot or cold, Jim?"—*Detroit Free Press.*

Shortening the Ocean Voyage.

LONDON, April 22.—Captain Brown, a veteran commander of Atlantic steamers, and at present the out-door English manager of the Anchor Line, gave some important testimony today before the committee of the House of Commons to which the bill for increasing the harbor accomodations of England has been referred. He advocated the improvement of the harbor of Valencia, Ireland, as the best measure for decreasing the time between America and Great Britain. He pointed out the many advantages Valencia has over Queenstown as a port of entry and contended that, with a small outlay, Valencia could be made the port of entry for the English trans-Atlantic passenger and mail service with a saving of at least six hours between America and London and Liverpool over any arrangement possible to be made by way of Queenstown.

Trying to Burn Church Property.

ERIE, April 22.—An attempt was made to-night to burn the school building at St. Patrick's Cathedral Parish, in this city. Coal oil was used for saturating the wood-work, and it was fired shortly after dark. It has only been a few months since an attempt was made to burn the rectory of St. Patrick's Cathedral Church, at which Right Rev. Bishop Mullen resides. Fagots saturated with oil were placed against the doors and fired, but the flames were discovered in their incipiency. The motive is supposed to be revenge. This is the third attempt that has been made to fire the St. Patrick's Church property.

Young Murphy's Work in Illinois.

FREEPORT, April 21.—Thomas E. Murphy, the temperance agitator, is waging a war against intemperance in the city, and his eloquence induces hundreds to sign the pledge. His father, Francis Murphy, who was injured by a fall, is better, and spoke last evening. They will conduct a campaign in Chicago in a few weeks under the auspices of the West Side churches.

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A Steamship's Wonderful Speed.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The Guion steamship Oregon, which arrived off Sanky Hook Saturday afternoon, after having made the quickest passage on record, came up to her dock yesterday morning. Her corrected time from Queenstown to Sandy Hook was six days, ten hours and ten minutes. Her best day's run during the voyage four hundred and seventy-two miles and her poorest four hundred and forty. Her average was over four hundred and fifty miles a day, or nearly ten miles an hour. According to the log of the Oregon she traveled in all two thousand eight hundred and sixty one miles. This is one hundred miles more than was made by the Alaska on her quickest voyage.

The days' runs of the Oregon were as follows: April 14, 440 miles, 15,460; 16,455; 17, 470 18, 469, and 19, 472. This leaves 95 miles, which the steamer made between noon on Saturday and 5.47 the same afternoon. She left Queenstown at noon on April 13. She had good weather during the greater part of the voyage. It was quite foggy on the banks of Newfoundland, however, and considerable ice was seen, although the steamer went considerably to the southward of her usual course. While proceeding up Gedney's Channel she struck on a shoal. The rising tide, however, enabled her to float off, and she reached Quarantine at about 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

Valuable Gripsack Stolen.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—A. B. Long, a resident of Lewistown, Mifflin county, Pa., entered the Broad Street station about 10 o'clock yesterday morning to take a train out of the city. He incautiously placed his satchel on a seat and left it unwatched for a few minutes. Upon returning to the spot his traveling bag had disappeared. It contained a certificate for eighty-one shares of Pennsylvania railroad stock, valued at nearly $5,000, in the name of A. B. Long; a certificate of deposit of $10,000 in the Grand Rapids national bank, Grand Rapids, Mich., and three promissory notes aggregating over $33,000. Payment on the certificate of deposit and the notes has been stopped, and it is likely that the thieves will realize from their plunder.

A Bank President Turns Robber.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Frank Ewers, cashier of the Effingham (Ill.) bank, which closed yesterday in consequence of the absconding of its president, F. A. Vangoesy, says there was over $40,000 in the bank when he closed it Saturday night, and when he opened it on Monday morning every dollar was gone, as well as the books, papers, etc. The losers are all citizens of Effingham. The president's where abouts are still unknown.

Tilden Finally Declines.

ALBANY, April 22.—A party of leading democrats and friends of Tilden, who left Greystone to-day, say that under no circumstances will he be a candidate for president, and under no circumstances will he accept if nominated. They regard this, his last refusal, as final, and say that the field is now left, so far as the democratic candidate from this state is concerned, to Flower and Cleveland.

Death in a Runaway.

HONESDALE, April 22.—While Rev. William Allen and his family were being driven along a dangerously rough road in the suburbs of this place to-day, the pole of the carriage broke. The horses started on a run through the thickly-wooded road. Mr. Allen and two children were thrown to the road unhurt. Mrs. Allen's left leg was broken and she died this evening from the effects of the injury.

Six Persons Drowned.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Jacob Keller, his two sons, George Hillicker and wife and Nathaniel Wright were all drowned last night while on a shad fishing excursion on Hudson river near Verplank Point by the upsetting of the boat.

We feel that we are doing the public a favor in calling their attention particularly to Hood's Sarsaparilla. This is not a patent medicine, but a proprietary article, possessing real curative properties, and its effects upon the blood are very positive. Sprig Debility, Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all troubles caused by impure blood readily yield to this excellent medicine. We think those who give it a trial for that "out of sort" feeling from which so many suffer and which is peculiar to this season, will be quite satisfied with the result.

Emperor William's Health.

PARIS, April 22.—The Francais Newspaper says Emperor William, of Germany, shows continued signs of somnolence and other grave symptoms which are causing serious alarm.

Liver, Kidney or Stomach Trouble.

Symptoms: Impure blood, costive bowels, irregular appetite, sour belching, pains in side, back and heart, yellow urine, burning when urinating, clay-colored stools, bad breath, no desire for work, chills, fever, irritability, whitish tongue, dry cough, dizzy head, with dull pain in back part, loss of memory, foggy sight. For these trouble "SWAYNE'S PILLS" are a sure cure. Box, (30 pills) by mail, 25 cts.; 5 for $1.00. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists.
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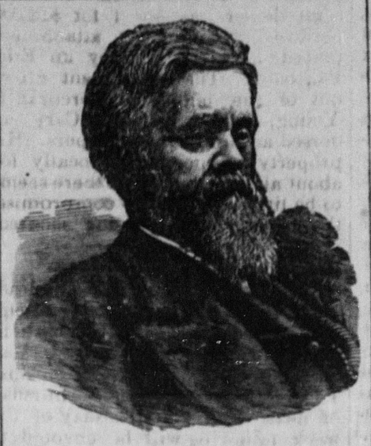

THE GREAT DR. DIO LEWIS.

His Outspoken Opinion.

The very marked testimonials from College Professors, respectable Physicians, and other gentlemen of intelligence and character to the value of Warner's SAFE Cure, published in the editorial columns of our best newspapers, have greatly surprised me. Many of these gentlemen I know, and reading their testimony I was impelled to purchase some bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure and analyze it. Besides, I took some, swallowing three times the prescribed quantity. I am satisfied the medicine is not injurious, and will frankly add that if I found myself the victim of a serious kidney trouble I should use this preparation. The truth is, the medical profession stands dazed and helpless in the presence of more than one kidney malady, while the testimony of hundreds of intelligent and very reputable gentlemen hardly leaves room to doubt that Mr. H. H. Warner has fallen upon one of those happy discoveries which occasionally bring help to suffering humanity.

Dio Lewis

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Out on the Prairie.

Concerning Something Better than Mrs. Toodles' Wheelbarrow—And the Reason Why.

When a certain Comissary-General complained to the Duke of Wellington that Sir Thomas Picton had declared he would hang him if the rations for that General's division were not forthcoming at a certain hour, the Duke replied:

"Ah! did he indeed go so far as that? Did he say he'd hang you?"

"Yes, my lord."

"Well, General Picton is just the man to keep his word. You'd better get the rations up in time."

But to get rations or anything else up in time one must know where to lay his hands on them. As Mr. Toodles said about the coffin which he had bought at auction and brought home to his wife:

"If anything *should* happen, my dear, it will be so handy to have in the house."

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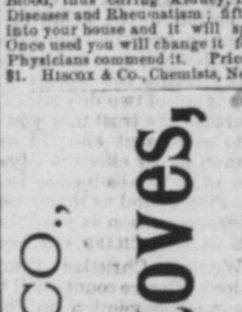

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The First Vessel Sails.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The Bear, the advance vessel of the Greeley relief expedition, left the navy yard at half-past 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. For several hours before her departure the docks near where she was moored were crowded with spectators. The Bear had been moored about twenty feet from the dock, and only a privileged few were allowed to board her. Large quantities of flowers, the gifts of friends of the officers, were received, and these were spread out on the after deck until it was almost carpeted with them. Among the designs was a very large and handsome representation of a bear. Relatives and friends of the officers remained on the deck with them until a short time before the moorings were cast off. The seamen of the Bear were neatly dressed in their best uniforms and appeared to advantage, and all seemed in the best of spirits.

Soon after 3 o'clock the last of the visitors hurried down the narrow gang-plank, and the work of removing the moorings was begun. There were tears in the eyes of many of the ladies along the dock, but the officers of the out goingr Arctic explorer bore up well. The navy yard tug Catalpa, bearing a number of the naval officers, with their families and friends came alongside the Bear, and helped her in getting out into the river. A cheer arose from the adjoining docks, from the docks of the receiving ship, and from the collier Ybana, No. 4, all of which were packed with spectators as the Bear moved away. The bell at the entrance of the navy yard was rung, but no salute was fired. As the Bear started down the river she was joined by the revenue cutter Washington, Captain Philips, which accompanied her down the bay as far as Robin's Reef. During her journey from the navy yard to the Narrows the Bear was saluted by all the steam vessels which passed her. The flags on to the tower of the Brooklyn bridge were displayed in her honor. Commander Emery has been instructed to proceed to St. John and to await the Thetis there. The Alert will probably go in the dry dock at the navy yard today.

Two Trains Collide.

PITTSBURG, April 27.—A collision occurred near Harmarville, on the West Penn railroad, last night, between a passenger train and a freight train. Four men were seriously injured, two probably fatally. Both trains were running at the rate of about twenty miles an hour, and came together at a sharp curve. The engines were entirely demolished and a number of cars were smashed. Engineer Hicks, of the freight, and fireman Bissell, of the passenger train, were injured internally, and are not expected to survive. William Graham, fireman on the freight, was badly hurt, and Gallagher had an arm and leg broken and is otherwise injured. None of the passengers were injured, although they were severely shaken up. The freight train was running out of time.

Frank James Acquitted.

CHATTANOOGA, April 25.—In the case of Frank James, on trial at Huntsville, Ala., for complicity in the Mussel Shoals robbery in 1881, the concluding argument was made this morning and the case given to the jury, who, at 6 o'clock, returned a verdict of not guilty. The court house was packed with spectators, and the verdict was greeted with a round of cheers. James was immediately arrested by the Sheriff of Cooper county, Mo.

A Hundred Dollar Oration.

LAWRENCE, Kas., April 24.—This fruitful border state has been stirred to its literary depths by an incident of the state oratorical contest last week. George H. Mays, of Emporia, who carried off the laurels with an oration entitled "Watchman, What of the Night?" was to have represented the state of Kansas in the National Oratorical Contest on May 10 at Iowa City. His friends grieved that one half of his oration was so much inferior to the other. His enemies charged him with plagiarism for the same reason.

Investigation has resulted in the discovery that one-half exactly of Mr. Mays' oration, "Watchman, What of the Night," was borrowed *punctuatim* from an oration by Colonel A. K. McClure, of Philadelphia, delivered at Dickinson College on June 26, 1873, and published in Cooper's "American Politics." Mr Mays' friends claim that the original half was the best of his speech, but his enemies insinuate the contrary.

At an election here to-day Mays was expelled from the Oratorical Association, and another contest was arranged for the 26th instant. Mays had not received the $100 prize.

Floods in New Brunswick.

ST. JOHN, April 25.—It is raining here to-night and further damage from floods is feared. While a lad named Cochrane was standing on a bank at Curryville to day to warn a train from Hillsboro of a wash-out the bank slid into the river and the boy was drowned. The floods are proving disastrous to many mill-owners, particularly those along the Buctouche river. It is reported that the mill-dams of Coates, James McNairn, Johnson brothers and L. Johnson have been damaged more or less and one mill washed away. Several bridges are missing. It is announced that the Miles Smith mill, on the Little Buctouche river, has been washed out, together with a bridge near it. A freshet in the Miramichi river caused a break in a lumber boom, entailing a loss of half a million feet of lumber.

The Pocahontas Horror.

POCOHONTAS, Va., April 27.—Two more bodies have been removed from the mine to-day, which makes the whole number 114. One of these brought out to-day was identified as Henry McIver, colored; the other could not be identified, nor could it be told whether it was the corpse of a white or a colored man. Both of the bodies were very much decayed and mutilated; only three mangled fragments of the latter body were found.

An examination of the mine is now being made by a committee of experts, appointed by President Bayles, of the American institute of mining engineers. This investigation originated in the request of the Southwest Virginia improvement company, of Philadelphia, which owns the mines here. The committee of experts are Professors Williams, of Lehigh Valley; Bramwell, of New York, and Buck, of Kanawha. They have been exploring and penetrating the mines for three days with naked lamps, and, the mine being now thoroughly ventilated, they have found no fire-damp. Their theory seems to be that the disaster was due to an explosion of fine coal dust.

Blown into Eternity.

LANCASTER, April 24.—A terrible accident happened in East Earl township last evening by which Amos Seldomridge was instantly killed and Robert Howe was seriously injured. These two men were blasting rocks on the premises of B. F. Kinzer, near Sorrel Horse, and were preparing a blast when it exploded prematurely. Seldomridge, who was ramming the charge home, was instantly killed, the rammer, hurled with terrible force, striking him on the forehead and tearing off the top of his head. Howe was seriously injured by flying pieces of rock, his wrist being broken and one eye so badly hurt, that it is feared the sight will be lost. Both men resided in the neighborhood, and Seldomridge, who was a son of Isaac Seldomridge, Jr., leaves a wife and family.

The Colorado Gold Discoveries.

DENVER, April 23.—A gentleman of the highest integrity, a well-known citizen of Denver, who has just returned from the new Golden Valley mining district, pronounces the new discovery a very important one. He brings affidavits of the most reputable citizens in the district to numerous assays of ore, secured in various localities in the district, averaging about forty ounces of gold to the ton. Numbers are hourly leaving the camp denouncing it as the worst mining fraud ever perpetrated, but notwithstanding this the best citizens and the best-known authorities declare that fraud is impossible and claim that the new district will develop into one of the most important in the country, many reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

Wiggins again Sounds the Warning.

OTTAWA, April 23.—Professor Wiggins says that the recent heavy storms on the Atlantic and the earthquake yesterday in England are verifications of his March predictions. The Professor adds: "The forces which caused the disastrous storm last month will, I believe, again unite on Saturday evening next and earthquakes will probably occur on Friday and Monday, while there is a serious probability that the earthquake in England will return with increased violence about the 20th of May."

The New Old Testament.

NEW YORK, April 26.—The American Old Testament revision company, after twelve years of labor, completed its work yesterday at room 42 Bible house. The last work was the final revision of the works of Ezekiel and Daniel. All that remains is to arrange the variations from the British revisers to be printed in the appendix.

After the Old Testament revisers had completed their work, a meeting of the two companies, the one on the Old and the other on the New Testament, was held. Drs. Schaff, Day, Crosby, Coward, Thayer, Durgst, Kendrick, Lee, Chase, Short, Riddle, Chambers and Osgood were present. A delegation consisting of members of the committee, who expect to be in Europe the coming summer, was appointed to attend the final meeting of the British committee in London the first week in July. They are Drs. Schaff, Green, Day, Chambers Aiken and Mead. It is now expected that the revision of the Old Testament, which requires much time to be carefully carried through the press will be given to the public next fall or the first of next year.

Terrible Death on an Elevator.

NORRISTOWN, April 24.—William Carr, an unmarried man, aged nineteen years, residing at West Conshohocken, and employed at the Ridge Hill iron works, was killed in a shocking manner at the works on Tuesday night. He and a comrade had descended on the elevator used for hoisting ore and lime. The latter stepped off, and Carr grasped a lever, intending to stop the carriage. His light having been extinguished, it was impossible for him to see what he was doing, and in the darkness he seized the lever used in sending the cage up. This produced such a jar that the car was thrown down, his head hanging over the side of the bottom of the cage, which ascended rapidly. His head struck the timbers surrounding the elevator, and before the cage reached the top his head had been battered into a shapeless mass.

Defying the Mob.

MOUNT STERLING, Ky., April 25.—At an early hour yesterday morning between forty and fifty men went to the residence of the jailor and demanded admittance, the leader stating that he was the sheriff of Breathitt county, with a prisoner. The jailor was on the point of admitting them when he discovered the party to be a mob intent on hanging a prisoner named William Osborn, sentenced for five years for killing Henry Thomas. The leader of the mob told the jailor that unless he surrendered the keys the mob would batter down the doors. This was done, but the jailor and his two sons, who were in the second story well armed, defied the mob to ascend the stairs. After searching the lower part of the house for the keys of the jail the mob left the premises.

The Pennsylvania's Motive Power

PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—The Pennsylvania railroad company has arranged its programme of orders for motive power for the year ending May 1, 1885. This includes 119 locomotives for the lines east of Erie and Pittsburg and eighteen for the lines west of Pittsburg, making a total of 137, comprising all classes. These will all be built at the Altoona shops, and put into service as rapidly as completed. The company has a standing order with these shops for 140 locomotives per year, and the number was exceeded last year by nineteen.

Defaulter Abbott Caught by a Blacksmith.

BOSTON, April 24.—The arrest of F. G. Abbott, the defaulting treasurer of the Union Market National Bank, of Watertown, was accomplished by a blacksmith in Pierce City, Mo., who read of Abbott's crime in a circular. On being arrested Abbott confessed his identity and will return to Boston without requisition papers. The blacksmith will receive $1,000 reward and a percentage of what amount of money may be recovered.

Death from Terrible Burns.

BETHLEHEM, April 24.—William Maxwell, the clerk for Roadmaster Dinan, of the Lehigh Valley railroad, whose lower limbs were terribly burned while asleep beside the stove in his office at Lawry's Station last February, died at St Luke's hospital at this place last evening. The accident was discovered by Maxwell's child, who ran to the office to see why its father remained so long away from home. The youngster quickly gave the alarm, and thus saved the parent from burning to death.

Burglars as Foreign Coin Collectors.

JOHNSTOWN, April 26.—Burglars last night entered the wholesale grocery store of T. G. Stewart & Co., of this place, and opened the safe by drilling it. They obtained $100 in silver, about $50 of which consisted of a collection of foreign coins which one of the employes of the firm was making. There is no clue to the guilty parties. This is the second safe burglary that has been perpetrated here within a few weeks.

President White,

ITHACA, N. Y., April 24.—President White, a delegate-at-large to the republican national convention, says he favors for president any candidate who will represent the cause of civil service reform and whose labors in that interest will be freely and faithfully given.

Failed by Endorsing Others.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 27.—E. J. Cary, a North Adams rag and scrap dealer, has failed for $22,000 because of a $10,000 attachment placed on his property by an Erie, Pa., bank. The attachment grows out of the failure of Corcoran & Young, of Erie, for whom Cary endorsed accommodation papers. His property is mortgaged locally for about all it is worth and there seems to be little chance for compromise, the heavy creditors being secured.

The Tariff Discussion.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The leaders in the tariff discussion contemplate closing the general debate in the tariff question Tuesday, May 5. They are of the opinion that Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week and Tuesday of the week following will be devoted to the consideration of the measure. Representative Kasson will make the closing speech on the republican side. He expects to make a motion to strike out the enacting clause in the bill.

A Railroad Bridge Breaks Down.

MADRID, April 27.—By the breaking of a railroad bridge near Cindad Peal this morning, a train of passenger cars was precipitated into the river. Several persons are reported killed and twenty received severe injuries. The fact that one of the supporters of the bridge was afterward found to be cut through leads to the belief that the disaster was the result of malicious work.

A Prominent Lawyer Dead.

CHICAGO, April 24.—Isaac N. Arnold, died at his residence in this city to-day. He was a prominent member of the Illinois district in congress in 1861 and was for many years an intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln. He wrote "The Life of Benedict Arnold" and other works.

The German Emperor and Empress.

BERLIN, April 24.—Emperor William keeps to his room, but continues to receive visitors and to work throughout the day. The condition of the Empress causes the greater disquiet in court circles, in which her death is considered a matter of only a few weeks.

Greenback Nominations.

PITTSBURG, April 24.—The Allegheny county greenback labor convention elected four delegates to Indianapolis convention and endorsed General Butler for president. Morrison Foster was nominated for congress from the Twenty-second district.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

County Temperance Convention.

The W. C. T. U. of this place has issued the following circular letter which will be read from the various churches in the county and is of interest to all friends of prohibition:

REV. AND DEAR SIR: We invite your attention to the following call for a county convention, and earnestly request that you read it from your pulpit and secure the appointment and attendance of two delegates from your church. We trust that you will be able to be present and aid us by your counsel in our efforts to advance the cause of total abstinence in our county. Please send us the names of your delegates as soon as possible.

MRS. E. M. BLANCHARD, Cor. Sec.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Centre county will hold its first annual convention on Thursday, May 8, 1884, in Bellefonte, to interest the women in the promotion of temperance work throughout the county. Each Woman's Christian Temperance Union is requested to be represented by two delegates, and each church by its pastor and two lady delegates. Entertainment will be provided.

Miss Narcissa E. White, Superintendent of Normal Temperance Instruction, will be present during the convention and will give a public lecture on Thursday evening.

The first meeting will be held Thursday morning, May 8, at 10 o'clock. Delegates are requested to report as early as possible the time of their arrival, as they will be met at the train by the committee of entertainment. If any cannot reach Bellefonte at the appointed hour on Thursday morning, they are requested to come on Wednesday so that the business of the convention may be properly commenced. By order of the President.

MRS. JOHN P. HARRIS.

—We are in receipt of a communication from the manager of the Harrisburg Eye and Ear Hospital and Infirmary, of Harrisburg, Pa., requesting this paper to call the attention of the public to the fact that a Free Dispensary has been attached to the institution for the Gratuitous Treatment of the poor, who are unable to bear the heavy expense necessarily incurred in undergoing treatment for the various affections of the eye and ear, and those afflicted in this manner will do well to bear this announcement in mind.

—We were agreeably surprised on Friday to receive a call from Dr. C. P. W. Fisher, of Boalsburg, who has just recovered from a severe attack of paralysis, this being his first journey so great a distance. He also went as far as Milesburg, returning via Bellefonte. He is able now to attend to his patients. His recovery is certainly a subject for congratulation, not only to himself but also to those who are accustomed to depend upon his medical skill.

McClellan—Haupt.

Mr. Charles McClellan, of Allegheny street, and Miss Mina Haupt, daughter of Mr. Isaac Haupt, all of this place, were married last Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at Hublersburg, by Rev. Sechrist, of the Lutheran church. The happy young folks went to that place to have the ceremony performed in fulfillment of a promise made by the groom to a near lady friend of his father's family—Mrs. Celia Bergstresser, daughter of the late Charles Callahan—that when he married it would be in the town in which she resides.

An incident attended the wedding which was a surprise to the bride and groom. Before starting to Hublersburg they neglected to acquaint their Bellefonte relatives with all the particulars attending the proposed event, but an elder brother of the groom was on the alert. So as soon as they had started he, in company with a lady member of family, followed after them at a safe distance to escape recognition. Well, they reached the residence in which the wedding was to occur before that event was solemnized and of course the contracting parties were greatly surprised at the presence of unexpected guests. The ceremony was performed in a very happy manner after which all parties partook of a sumptuous wedding supper at the residence of Mrs. Bergstresser.

The bride and groom anticipated an escape from the usual calithumpian serenade, but in this were disappointed, as the young folks in Hublersburg understand how to tender these serenades with as much noise and discord as possible and did not slight the wedding party on this occasion.

They returned to Bellefonte on Friday afternoon. The groom is a worthy young gentleman and an excellent tailor, working regularly at his trade. The bride is very pretty, accomplished and agreeable. Together we hope they will be able to pursue life's uncertain path with as much of the concentrated essence of joy and prosperity for their portion as ever comes to earth's inhabitants.

Extreme Tired Feeling.

A lady tells us "the first bottle has done my daughter a great deal of good, her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that 'extreme tired feeling' which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Business Notices and Other Items.

—The rite of communion was administered in several of the Bellefonte churches on Sunday.

—One second-hand carriage, one new top buggy (Bartruff's make), one new two-horse wagon (Bullock's make) for sale on reasonable terms, by James Harris & Co. 16 17 3t

—There will be no services in the P. E. church next Sunday owing the expected absence of the rector.

After the holidays is called the "dull season" by tailors. We are offering extra inducements in low prices. Our orders for woolens have been very large. The new goods are now coming in. Leave your order now.
tf MONTGOMERY & Co. Tailors.

—The festival held at the residence of Alfred Green, Esq., on Thursday evening for the benefit of the Milesburg M. E. church was entirely successful, a handsome amount being realized, despite the stormy weather.

—Finest selection of Woolens in town at the merchant tailoring department of the Bee Hive. a28daw1w

—Two quite aged ladies died in Tyrone on Friday. One was Mrs. Mary A. Miles, aged 85 years, and the other Mrs. Frances Kolbensehlag, who was 91 years and 2 days old.

—For special bargains we refer you to the new advertisement of the Bee Hive. a28daw1w.

—The funeral of the late Mr. John Stitzer occurred at Howard on Saturday afternoon, Mr. Olevine and daughter of this place being present.

—Don't forget the grand spring opening at the Bee Hive. a28daw1w

—Rich, juicy rhubarb pie, freshly plucked from the garden, now adorns the Bellefonte dinner table.

—Walnut curtain poles only 65 cents at the Bee Hive. a28daw1w

—Mr. Conrad Long, a prominent citizen of Howard, was so unfortunate as to fall and break one of his legs on Sunday morning, while he was on his way to his flouring mill. We regret to learn of the accident.

—One second-hand carriage, one new top buggy (Bartruff's make), one new two-horse wagon (Bullock's make) for sale on reasonable terms, by James Harris & Co. 16 17 3t

—Graham's tonsorial establishment has been very neatly papered.

—While on a trip along Upper Marsh Creek last week we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Michael Heaton, who is managing a farm for Mr. Absalom Tipton. It is not often that a farm has such a careful and skillful agriculturist to manage it as Mr. H. and our friend Tipton is fortunate. Everything about the farm is in a flourishing condition. Mr. Heaton has two fields of the finest wheat that we have seen anywhere this season. An inspection of them is sufficient to convince anyone that there is no use going to Minnesota or other northwestern States or Territories to raise wheat when the yield in Marsh Creek can be made to average 40 bushels per acre.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, April 29, 1884.

Red Wheat, per bushel	$ 95
Mixed Wheat	90
Buckwheat	50
Rye per bushel	65
Corn (shelled)	60
Oats	35
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5 00
do prime to extra prime	5 50
do choice	6 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 00
Flour, wholesale	4 75

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$12 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	8 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@8 00

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	7
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	20
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	25
Chickens per piece	25
Cheese per pound	14 to 18
Country hams per pound	14
Hams, sugar cured	16
Country Bacon	12
Lard per pound	10
Eggs per doz	15
Potatoes, per bushel	50
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	20
Canned tomatoes per can	10—12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½—15
Lemons per doz	20
Dried sweet corn per pound	07

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Miscellaneous.

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OFFICE, ONE DOOR NORTH OF POST OFFICE, BELLEFONTE, PA. 16 16 3m

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R. M. McENALLY, Special Agent.

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WANTED.

From one to two cents per pound paid for short potato sprouts, according to length and freedom from dirt; the shorter the sprouts the more valuable. To be delivered at the Chemical Laboratory, Penn'a. State College.

a15d&w4w C. J. BELL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Mary Ann Camp, deceased, late of Bellefonte, Centre County, Penn'a, having been granted by the Register of Centre county to the undersigned, he requests all persons indebted to said deceased to come forward and make payment, and those having claims against him to present the same, duly authenticated, for settlement. JACOB BRIDGE, *Administrator.*

Bellefonte, Centre Co., April 2, 1884. 16-13-6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Benjamin Crain, deceased.—Letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin Crain, late of Ferguson township, Centre county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Susannah Crain, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay. SUSANNAH CRAIN,

16-13-6t Administratrix.

DEMOREST'S MONTHLY. The cheapest and best. SIX ELEGANT PICTURES—three in oil and three fine steel engravings—will be sent with a specimen copy of DEMOREST'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE for 20 cents, post-free, during the months of March and April, 1884, or the six pictures will be sent with a year's subscription at $2. Do not fail to see the splendid January and February numbers of this model magazine. Address W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 17 East 14th street, New York. 16 15 4t

A Prosperous Industry.

The firm of Hicks & Griffith, foundrymen, is one of the most prosperous in this community. It was sprung into existence only a few months ago, but the unexampled success with which it has been met is one of the most amazing circumstances on record in the business history of Bellefonte. It is only because the operations of the firm have been necessarily greatly confined by want of sufficient buildings and space that its transactions at the present time are not much greater, but Mr. Hicks, the business manager, sees his way clear to obviating this difficulty in the immediate future. Every apartment in the old building formerly occupied by Col. George Bayard and also in the new building recently erected is a busy hive of industry. Faithful, competent employes are turning out machines of all kinds which are in eager demand and are going to every part of the globe on their mission of increasing the wealth and prosperity of the civilized nations of the earth.

Let us illustrate by a single example. The firm recently secured the order from the Hamilton Seed Drill Manufacturing Company for 8,000 of the wonderful mechanical devices for the manufacture of which that company was organized and the invention of which is a high illustration of the great ingenuity of Prof. John Hamilton of the State College. To fill this order will, it may be supposed. consume a long time, yet the rapidity with which work is done at this manufactory will enable them to complete the large number of machines so quickly as to astonish all who know anything of the complicated work which their construction involves. It is a mammoth undertaking and will require the investment of large sums of money. Some of the regulators are already completed and we were permitted to examine a specimen in the finishing room of the foundry on Thursday, as well as to inspect the molding operations as carried on in still another department. This part of the work requires skill, delicate handling and care and repays the interested observer. The sand used in the molding process is obtained along the Bald Eagle and can be delivered more cheaply in Bellefonte than any other manufacturing point (another evidence of Bellefonte's excellent location as a manufacturing town.)

The firm employs about twenty-five men and as soon as arrangements can be made to erect more buildings the force of workmen will be largely augmented. About $5,000 worth of work that would have been given to this firm has gone elsewhere because of their present limited capacity.

But this disadvantage will not long continue. In the case of a firm so enterprising "no pent up Utica will confine their power." As our readers have been informed, the Bayard property was recently purchased by Mr. Hicks, individually, and upon it new structures will be reared to be used by the firm. The present buildings will also be extended out over the creek and new machinery added. We shall not be surprised if before desolate winter shall again bind the earth in icy fetters, the working capacity of this manufactory will be increased to truly remarkable proportions, thus taking a prominent part in making Bellefonte bear the same relation to the business communities of Central Pennsylvania that Pittsburg bears to those in the Western part of the Keystone State.

—Major General Hartranft has selected the site for the location of the encampment of the National Gaurd of Pennsylvania, August 2d to 9th, upon the Gettysburg battle-field. He has chosen a large field of 200 acres, about a mile south of the town, on the Emmettsburg pike, and upon which the rebels concentrated in the three-days' fight, when Pender's and Anderson's divisions made their terrible onslaught upon the Union troops' centre. Within a short distance of the spot picked out for the Major General's headquarters was located that of General Lee, and immediately in the rear of the encampment was the spot from which General Meade directed the movements of his command. There will be a parade ground sufficiently large to accommodate the entire division.

—We are informed that Geo. M. Rodgers of this place received a letter from New York on Friday conveying the intelligence that an attorney had sailed from that city for England with a will and the necessary papers to claim a large amount of money in the Bank of England and also property in the City of Bristol left to his grandfather, now dead, his mother being dead also. He and his sisters and some other relatives in this country are the heirs. The attorney is to receive 10 per cent. of the amount claimed.

—Prepare for picnics in the woods.

Spring Mills Matters.

The venerable Peter Wilson is recovering from a slight attack of illness. Mr. George Korman, who is also indisposed, does not exhibit any signs of improvement.

Spring Mills has two Sunday-schools each of which has over one hundred pupils on the roll.

Prof. Krise has made money in instructing the young idea how to shoot, and expects to build a handsome house during the summer. Mr. David Barre has made considerable progress on his new house which will be roomy and convenient.

In consequence of several cases of sickness peculiar to the season in Spring Mills, Dr. J. W. Stam is kept very busy writing perscriptions and administering curative agents.

—Mr. A. C. Moore, of Milesburg, and Mr. D. B. Kunes of Eagleville, are engaging in a contest for a very fine gold watch which is now displayed at F. P. Blair's jewelry store. The watch is made with all the modern improvements and indicates the time on a 24-hour face. The contest between these gentlemen will be lively because they have legions of friends and the proceeds of the contest will be given to the Citizens' Cornet Band of Milesburg, which is one of the best musical organizations in this vicinity and deserves plenty of money. Of course, each of these gentlemen desires very much to obtain so splendid a prize, and their friends will do them and the band a great favor by subscribing liberally An examination of the time piece might offer an additional inducement and it may be seen at Blair's.

One of Many Compliments.

The neat, spicy and interesting little Bellefonte DAILY NEWS was just four years old last Saturday, and the editor informs its readers that it was never more prosperous than it is just now, and during the coming year, he expects to make some notable improvements on the daily, but we think it will be a difficult task to improve it in the way of news, as it is always filled with the very latest of both general and local news. We wish our little contemporary abundant success through the fifth year of publication, and forevermore hereafter.—*Philipsburg Journal.*

No Guess Needed.

The following item from the "Augsburg Sunday-school Teacher" is appropriate for "License Week:"

"There is no use in plunging into the caves of theory and guess-work for explanations of mob uprisings. A country that spends $900,000,000 a year for liquor, and only $85,000,000 a year for her schools and $6,000,000 a year for support of the Gospel ministry, must not expect perfect security against the bloody violence of the rabble."

—The quarterly report of the Western Union Telegraph Company shows that corporation to be one of the most prosperous in the country. Indeed, next to the DAILY NEWS, we know of no institution in which it is more profitable to own stock.

—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Green is just now rendered doubly attractive by the presence of a little baby boy, who has been in this vicinity for several days and is charming everybody who forms his acquaintance.

Medical

WHAT WILL convince you of the wonderful curative properties combined in HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA, if the remarkable cures that have been effected by its use fail to impress upon your mind this repeatedly proven fact? Thousands are using it, and all declare that **WILL** it is a medicine possesses even more than ing all and we claim for it. My friend, if you are sick or in that condition that you cannot call yourself either sick or well, go and get a bottle of HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA, and realize yourself how this medicine hits the right **CONVINCE** spot, and puts all the machinery of your body into working order.

From the Registrar of Deeds for Middlesex County, Northern District.

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MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & CO.: Gentlemen—It affords me much pleasure to recommend HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA. My health has been such that for some years past I have been obliged to take a tonic of some kind in the spring, and have never found anything that hit my wants as your Sarsaparilla. It tones up my system, purifies my blood, sharpens my appetite, and seems to make me over. Respectfully yours,

J. P. THOMPSON.

One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA in the window, and I got a bottle. After she had been taking it a week she had a rousing appetite, and it did her everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested."

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Books and Stationery and News Depot.

JNO. C. MILLER & CO., Humes' Block, next door to post office.

Boots and Shoes.

JNO. POWERS & SON, 43 High St.
DOLL & MINGLE, 10 Brockerhoff Row.

Bottling Establishment.

JNO. ANDERSON, 65 High St., south side.

Butchers.

JOHN BEEZER, North High street, near Centre Co. bank.
SECHLER & CO., 68 High street.

Contractors and Builders.

E. B. & F. P. GREENE, 46 Water st.

Cigars and Tobacco.

CHARLES RINE, High street, opposite depot.

Cigar Manufacturers.

H. C. WEAVER, First National bank building.

China, Glass and Queensware.

W. H. WILKINSON, 16 & 18 Allegheny street

Clothiers and Gents' Furnishers.

ISAAC GUGGENHEIMER, Bush Arcade, new addition, High St.

Coal and Grain.

LAWRENCE L. BROWN, near depot.

Carriage Manufactury.

J. R. BARTRUFF, near water works.

Dry Goods and Groceries.

VALENTINES STORE CO., limited, Nos. 51 and 53 Bush Arcade, High St.
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Drugs and Medicines.

DR. M. A. KIRK, 41 Bush Arcade, High St.

Furs, Hides and Leather.

ISAAC GUGGENHEIMER, Bush Arcade High St.

Furniture.

JOHN BRACHBILL, 20 Spring street.

Gunsmith—Sporting Goods.

THEO. DESCHNER, High street.

Groceries.

SECHLER & CO., 68 High St.
V. G. BAUER & CO., 6 Bishop St.

Harness Makers.

J. H. McCLURE & SON, 10 Bishop St.
JAMES SCOFIELD, 13 Spring St.

Hotels.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE, C. G. McMillen, proprietor.

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P. B. CRIDER & SON.
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Merchant Tailors.

W. I. FLEMING, Humes' block, Allegheny St (repairing).

Millinery.

MISS M. L. MacBRIDE, 29 Allegheny St.

Paints and Paper Hanging.

WILLIAMS BROTHERS, 50 High St.

Plumbers and Gas Fitters.

WILLIAM GALBRAITH, 15 Allegheny st.
JOHN BARNES, 48 High st.

Snow Shoe Coal and Coke.

BERWIND, WHITE & CO., Race St., near Bush House.

Sewing Machines and Musical Instruments.

BUNNELL & AIKENS, 1 Bishop st.

Stoves and Tinware.

W. T. TWITMIRE, 42 High st., Bush Arcade.

Watchmakers.

FRANK P. BLAIR, 4 Brockerhoff Row.
FRANK GALBRAITH, 74 High st., opp. depot.

Optician.

FRANK P. BLAIR, 4 Brockerhoff Row.

REMOVAL!

I would respectfully inform my friends and the public generally that I have removed my place of business to my new building on Water Street, Bellefonte, Centre county, Penn'a, near High Street bridge, and near the depot. The house has been built with a view to the needs of the Gun and Fishing Tackle business. It is my desire to make this establishment second to none in Pennsylvania. To successfully do this I respectfully ask your co-operation. I can sell you anything in my line as cheaply as goods of the same quality can be bought for *anywhere* else. A new stock of FISHING TACKLE just received. GUNS, REVOLVERS, AMMUNITION at astonishingly low prices.

Send for new illustrated Catalogue containing a copy of the Game Laws of Pennsylvania.

I have also connected with my establishment a SHOOTING GALLERY; a good 20-yard range, with splendid Targets, CREEDMOOR RIFLES and ELECTRIC LIGHT. This gallery will be open for practice on the evening of April 9th. You are cordially invited to be present.

THEODORE DESCHNER, Gunsmith.

16-10-3m

SCHOOL DIRECTORS' CONVENTION.

To the School Directors of Centre County:

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the act of 8th May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention at the Court House, in Bellefonte, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1884, being the 6th day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and elect, *viva voce*, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent, at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act.

D. M. WOLF,
County Sup't of Centre County.

April 15, 1884. 1615 3t

The Representative Journal of New England.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Eliza Pacini, late of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. JOHN P. HARRIS,

12 12 6t Administrator

Miscellaneous.

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Miscellaneous.

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Wednesday, May 7.

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1 lot Linen Table Spreads at 45c., worth $1.00.
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1 lot Linen Damask Spreads, colored, at $1.25, worth $2.50.
1 lot Linen Towels, size 24x50, at 35c. a pair, worth 70c.
1 lot Fancy Towels, size 24x50, at 40c, a pair, worth 80c.
1 lot Colored Border Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, 3 for 10c.
1 lot Colored Border, all Linen Handkerchiefs at 10c., worth 20c.
1 lot Colored Border Handkerchiefs, finer quality, at 15c., worth 30c.
1 lot Colored Border Handkerchiefs, still finer quality, at 20c., worth 40c.
1 lot Undressed and Mousquetaire Kid Gloves at 50c., worth $1.50.
1 lot Silk and Lisle Gloves at 25c., worth 75c.
1 lot Misses' Fancy Hose, regular made, 2 pairs for 25 cents, less than half their value.
1 lot Brocaded Ribbon Remnants, two yard lengths, all pinks and blues, Nos. 12 and 16, at 15c. apiece.
1 lot Brocaded Sash Ribbon, 7 inches wide, at 40c. a yard, worth 90c.
1 lot Ladies' Coats, at $2.00, worth at least $4.00.

GENTS' DEPARTMENT.

1 lot Men's Unlaundried Shirts, Wamsutta muslin, 4-ply bosoms, 2200 linen, at 75c., regular price, $1.25.
1 lot Gauze Undershirts at 16c.
1 lot Silk Neck Scarfs at 15c.
1 lot Socks, latest styles, regular made, at 12c., worth 40c.

These goods will be dealt out upon the principle of first come first served, but in order to insure a fair distribution, only a limited quantity will be sold to each customer, and cannot be duplicated after once sold out.

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SPICES.—The best cook in the land cannot cook successfully without pure, fresh spices. These we have in every variety. Well-seasoned food adds to long life and happiness.

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Shaken by an Earthquake.

LONDON, April 22.—An earthquake shock occurred at 9:30 this morning and was felt in the eastern counties of England. Some localities in Essex and Suffolk were the scenes of the greatest disturbance. At Ipswich the shock was so severe that the walls of houses were preceptible shaken, plates were rattled and bells rung. The people have been thrown into such a state of consternation that business is for the time suspended. The shock was still more severe at Colchester, were the concussion lasted a half minute. The first symptom was a deep rumbling sound, portentious and awe-inspiring, speedily followed by a quaking and shaking of all the buildings. The church bells were sounded as though swayed by unseen hands, and tall chimney stacks of factories crushed in ruins to the earth, and other lofty structures destroyed. The spire of one of the largest churches in the city, one hundred and fifty feet high, fell with an awful crash to the ground. It is impossible to estimate the amount of damage, but it is known to be great.

In the private houses the greatest confusion prevailed. Chairs and tables were overturned, china and glassware in cupboards rattled together and were frequently shattered while the pictures and other ornaments upon the walls were loosened from their fastenings and fell to the floor. The people were terror-stricken; men, women and children rushed shrieking into the streets, while their agonized cries and pale faces made the most impressive scene. At Chelmsford, about 30 miles from London, the shock was also severe, and the people were filled with terror and dismay. At South End the earth trembled for miles around, the windows of many dwellings were broken, chimneys dashed to the earth and crockery and glassware were smashed.

At Maldon, ten miles east of Chemsford, the town hall and public houses were swayed several times The *Globe* says the shock was felt in the Strand, London. A business house it asserts, was perceptibly rocked; so much so that the employes were affected and rushed into the streets. The duration of the shock at Ipswich is estimated at 8 seconds. The earthquake has caused a general feeling of alarm and insecurity throughout England.

Alarm in an Ohio Town.

CLEVELAND, April 20.—A serious state of affairs is reported at Salineville, a mining town between this city and Wheeling. The coal banks in the hills on which the town stands have been operated for many years. Yesterday afternoon it was discovered that the ground immediately about Kirk's coal mine was beginning to crack in several places. Toward night the situation grew still more alarming. To-day people were surprised to find portions of their dwellings and yards slowly sinking into the earth. The wells in the neighborhood were found to be empty and bottomless. A large new brick school house stands on the brow of the hill, and it is the opinion that this structure will be destroyed. At all events, very few children will attend school in the building to-morrow. The cause of the approaching disaster is owing to the extra large amount of coal that has been taken from the hill. A young man named Wm. Kearns was crushed to death yesterday by a mass of coal and slate.

The Fire Record.

WINCHESTER, O., April 22.—The village of Wamsleyville, in the eastern portion of Adams county, was entirely consumed by fire yesterday. Loss. $20,000.

MARION, Ind., April 22.—The dwelling of Moses Giessner was burned last night. While endeavoring to save the furniture Giessner was fatally burned.

PITTSBURGH, April 22.—Bauer & Oesterling's extensive planing mill, Milvale borough, together with stable, shed and several lumber piles, was totally destroyed by fire at 6 o'clock this morning. The fire started in the office from shavings around the stove. Loss, $25,000. No insurance.

A barn belonging to William McKay, near Braddock, was burned last night. Three valuable horses were cremated. Loss, $5,000; no insurance.

Sailing away in a Balloon.

JACKSON, Mich., April 20.—Professor E. D. Hogan, the aeronaut, made a balloon ascension yesterday in a wagon. An immense crowd gathered to witness the air-ship start and many doubted the capacity of the balloon to raise the vehicle, but she went up easily. The balloon is sixty feet in height from the trapeze-bar to the valve and holds 75,000 feet of gas. It remained in sight nearly an hour, and then was lost to view. At noon to day the balloon was seen over Fayette, O, apparently all right.

The Storm in Texas.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 20.—Specials to the *News* from all parts of the state report heavy rains, and a Norther, with probably great damage to the crops. Hail and snow are reported from several points. A severe Norther and rain set in here this morning before daylight, which is unprecedented at this season of the year.

April Storms.

GALVESTON, Texas, April 21.—A dispatch from San Antonio to the *News* says that the city was visited on Saturday evening by a terrific rain and wind storm. Residences were badly damaged, fences blown down, and trees uprooted. Reports received in San Antonio from the surrounding country stated that the damage from the storm had been very extensive, but no details were given.

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CHICAGO, April 21.—Heavy gales from the northeast, accompanied by snow which melted as it fell, prevailed all of yesterday. The lake was exceedingly rough, and fears are entertained for the safety of vessels along the west shore. In the neighborhood a number of lumber luggers shifted their cargoes and lost their deck loads, but no wrecks or loss of life are reported.

ST. LOUIS, April 24.—A waterspout and wind storm demolished the house of a farmer named Bond, near Lockwood, Dade county, Mo., on Friday night, killed one of his children and injured several other members of the family.

KANSAS CITY, April 21.—A light snow has been falling the greater part of the forenoon, melting upon the ground. Advices denote a heavy rainfall in the southwest the past week.

The New York Convention.

UTICA, N. Y., April 23.—The republican state convention was called to order at 12.30. The roll call showed the only contest to be for delegates from Montgomery county. Mr. Roosevelt then nominated Nathanial C. Boynton, the Edmunds-Arthur candidate, for temporary chairman. Warner Miller moved to substitute the name of Edmund L. Pitts for temporary chairman. A roll call was ordered. There was tremendous applause, mingled with hisses, when Thomas C. Platt voted for Pitts. The secretary announced 491 votes cast, of which Boynton had 251 and Pitts 240. Deafening cheers greeted the announcement of the result. The chairman declared Boynton appointed. Boynton took the chair amid loud applause.

The resolutions commend the administration of Arthur; approve of the policy of protecting home industry, securing the removal of all unjust restrictions upon American shipping; demand the suspension of the coinage of the standard silver dollars and the retirement of trade dollars, and protests against the policy of the democratic party in congress. When reference to Arthur was made, there was loud and long-continued applause.

At the conclusion of the reading of the platform, the tellers announced the result of the ballot for delegates, at-large, as follows: Roosevelt, 472; White, 407; Gilbert, 342; Packard, 256; Miller, 243; Cornell, 228. The chairman declared the first four gentlemen elected.

In Mahone's State.

RICHMOND, Va., April 23.—The republican state convention met here to-day and effected a temporary organization, the committees being appointed in accordance with the plan formulated by Mahone. A recess was taken until 8 p. m.

The convention reassembled this evening, and elected William Lamb permanent chairman. All the counties in the state were represented except four.

A motion that all the delegates to Chicago be instructed to cast their vote in the national convention for Arthur was received with almost unanimous disapproval and no further notice was taken of the motion.

The reports of the district delegation were then submitted, giving the names of the district delegates to Chicago. Each delegation reported in favor of General Mahone as chairman of the delegation to Chicago and instructed their delegates to vote as a unit on all questions arising in that convention.

The Ohio Convention.

CLEVELAND, April 23.—The Ohio republican convention was called to order this afternoon, in the tabernacle, by Hon. J. A. Converse, chairman of the state central committee. General C. H. Grosvenor was elected president. On taking the chair he spoke for half an hour, reviewing the history of the parties.

During his speech General Grosvenor mentioned Sherman's name, which provoked loud cheering. Toward the close of his speech he referred to the necessity of nominating a presidential candidate who can carry Ohio, whereupon a delegate shouted, "Blaine can do it," and the convention cheered with redoubled vigor. After the announcement of committees the convention adjourned until to-morrow.

Destruction of a Summer Hotel.

LONG BRANCH, April 20.—The Hotel Bellevue, midway between Sea Bright and Highlands, N. J., caught fire this evening, and with its contents burned to the ground. The house, which has become famous by the recent Levi-Corey extortion suit, was owned by Lemuel Smith, of Highlands, and was valued at $75,000 which is partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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A gun that is charged with powder is likely to go off. So is a treasurer that is charged with embezzlement, if he can get a chance.

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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth! If so, send at once and get a bottle of **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.** Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething** is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price **25 cents a bottle.** 15 22 1y

Miss Genevieve Ward rivals the late Mme. Ida Pfeiffer as a traveller. She was last heard from at Colombo, Ceylon, where she had among her audience Arabi the Unblest. She had travelled 14,593 miles, had visited Bombay, Jeyhore, Delhi, Agra, Lucknow, Benares and Calcutta, in all of which places she played "Forget Me Not," remembered here at Wallack's; attended Lord Ripon's state ball in the City of Palaces, and saw the Ilbert bill passed.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 *Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.* 15-27-1yeow

A San Francisco woman advertised as follows: "For sale, two beautiful, small, snow white, house-dogs cheap." She was threatened with hysterics when she read this the next morning:— "Two beautiful, small, snow white, houses, dog cheap."

It cost Mr. Clare Sewell Read, who was recently elected, without opposition, a member of the British Parliament for West Norfolk, the sum of $2,450 for election expenses.

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching; very distressing, particularly at night; seems as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also, for tetter, Itch, salt rheum, scald-head, erysipelas, barbers' itch, blotches, all scaly, crusty skin diseases. Box, by mail, 50 cts.; 3 for $1.25. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. 16 14 1y

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Japanese soldiers carry fans. If they are all as ugly as those sent to this country we don't wonder that they are considered more effective than guns.

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All throat, breast and and lung affections cured by the old-established "SWAYNE'S WILD-CHERRY." The first dose gives relief, and a cure speedily follows. 25 cts., or $1.00, at druggists. 16 14 1y

"Don't forget the poor," urges a country editor, and further down the column we find, "We need some wood on subscription."

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Sales.

TREASURER'S SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS FOR TAXES FOR 1882 AND 1883 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.—Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1815, entitled "An Act to amend an Act, directing the mode of selling unseated lands in Centre county," and the several supplements thereto, there will be exposed at public sale or outcry, the following tracts of unseated lands in said county for the taxes due and unpaid thereon, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on Monday, June 9th, A. D. 1884, at one o'clock, p. m.:

ACRES.	PER.	WARRANTEE NAMES.	TAXES.
		BENNER TOWNSHIP.	
58.....		Holmas, Robt	2 04
100.....		Dale, Christ Sr., (owner)	4 90
		BOGGS TOWNSHIP.	
143.....		Dale, Ann part	14 27
383.....	163	Frazier, Nolbroa	25 83
433.....	163	Fishburn, Hannah	41 91
438.....	163	Gray, Wm	38 95
431.....	137	Godfrey, Martha	45 12
433.....	163	Harvey, Jonathan	28 86
418.....	40	Hood, Wm	42 86
431.....	46	Hood, Moses	33 87
181.....		Lucas, J. M. & J. P. Packer	24 60
433.....	163	Lewis, David	43 55
300.....		M'Coy, Frank	30 30
50.....		Packer & Lucas	5 04
458.....	84	Russel, Wm	31 13
433.....	163	Russel, Thomas	29 42
50.....		Walker, Jon. (owner)	4 50
46.....		Leathers, Jacob (owner)	2 11
383.....	163	Weiss, Michael	29 69
		BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.	
415.....		Black, James	9 34
433.....	163	Brady, Robt	19 44
433.....	163	Brady, Wm P	9 72
433.....	163	Brady, John	9 72
433.....	163	Bell, Wm	12 96
433.....	153	Bingham, Wm	56 99
415.....		Boyd, John	18 67
433.....	163	Byers, John	19 59
433.....	163	Cook, Wm	19 44
433.....	163	Cowdon, John	12 96
433.....	163	Dewart, Wm	6 48
433.....	163	Dewart, John	6 48
433.....	163	Donelly, Henry	6 48
433.....	163	Donelly, John	12 96
453.....	163	Fox, Sam'l M	12 96
433.....	163	Gray, Robt	6 48
433.....	163	Gray, Wm	6 48
433.....	163	Grant, Thomas	12 96
433.....	163	Graves, Alex	12 96
433.....	163	Goben, Charles	6 48
433.....	163	Hamilton, Thomas	12 96
140.....		Harris, Henry	12 60
433.....	153	Harrison, Geo	19 52
433.....	163	Housel, John	12 96
433.....	153	Hunt, Person	45 47
433.....	163	Kidd, John	10 35
415.....		Levy, Nathaniel	12 43
433.....	163	Lyon, John	12 96
433.....	153	McLanahan, Blair	19 52
433.....	153	McLanahan, Geo	45 46
433.....	153	McLanahan, Polly	45 46
433.....	153	McLanahan, Ann	45 46
433.....	150	Mead, Geo	64 93
200.....		Miller, Wm	6 00
433.....	163	Morris, Joseph	12 96
433.....	153	Nicholson, John	38 98
233.....	153	Pettit, And	39 47
433.....	163	Shaffer, Henry	12 96
415.....		Tallman, Sarah M	12 43
433.....	153	Tench, Francis	32 54
433.....	163	Towers, James	9 72
415.....		Thomas, Joseph	12 43
415.....		Wallace, Joseph	9 34
433.....	163	Wallace, Joseph	12 96
415.....		Weitzel, John	11 47
415.....		Weidner, Jacob	37 23
123.....		Wheeler, Henry	3 66
433.....	163	Wilson, Bird	12 86
204.....		Withington, Martin	3 05
		COLLEGE TOWNSHIP.	
421.....		Johnston, Ross	15 43
		CURTIN TOWNSHIP.	
434.....		Ainsley, Robt	50 69
415.....		Allen, Chas	50 90
376.....		Baird, Samuel	38 35
185.....		Brady, Wm P	37 92
397.....		Carscadden, D	45 78
337.....		Coats, Lindley	23 00
150.....		Custer, Paul	13 74
50.....		Curtin, John	3 98
200.....	120	Carscadden, D	14 60
311.....		Dehaven, Peter ⅝	52 82
108.....		Devling, Joseph	12 40
434.....		Devling, Joseph	50 78
135.....		Donald, Henry	33 60
311.....		Evans, Cadwalder	52 82
415.....		Elliot, Wm	70 44
415.....		Eddy, Ester	82 84
448.....	99	Epple, And	73 38
415.....		Gray, Robt	64 24
415.....		Gray, Wm	64 24
415.....		Gilbert, Wm	82 90
360.....		Godfrey, Martha	83 00
300.....	142	Godfrey, John W	44 10
120.....		Hahn, Peter	12 24
415.....		Hahn, Susan	64 24
60.....		Hollowell, Ed	11 20
142.....		Humphrey, Thos	14 47
203.....		Irvin, James	39 12
380¾.....		Kelso, Joseph	56 80
403.....		Kelso, Rebecca	60 18
400.....		Kelso, Joseph	48 00
200.....		Lane, Mary	33 20
150.....		Lane, Sarah	41 50
415.....		Levy, Nathaniel	82 90
207½.....		Lowns, Caleb	32 46
207½.....		Longstreth, Isaac	38 56
207½.....		Lowns, Caleb	38 26
207½.....		Longstreth, Isaac	38 26
70.....		Mason, John S	12 32
450.....		McCauley, John	45 11
200.....		Meyer, Philip	47 00
100.....		Meyer, Simon	23 50
420.....	48	Meyer, Michael	95 80
420.....		Meyer, Valentine	95 80
196.....		Miller, James	29 12
486.....		Mitchell, Wm P	46 80
434.....		Mitchell, Wm P	49 78
220.....		Mitchell, Wm P	25 74
200.....		Mitchell, John P	33 93
110.....		Meyers, Royer	6 49
313.....	112	Orris, Ellis L	36 64
434.....		Packer, J W	49 78
42.....		Packer, J W	4 91
15.....		Packer, J W	1 50
110.....		Packer, W M	12 87
326.....		Packer, J W	38 14
52.....		Quigley, Cline	5 54
100.....		Smith, Peter	16 20
433.....	153	Scott, Samuel	86 88
433.....	163	Tallman, Mary	50 78
200.....		Tunis, Richard	39 40
200.....		Tunis, Richard	19 80
415.....		Wain, Jacob	41 04
217.....		Wharton, Fishburn	35 50
217.....		Wharton, Fishburn	35 50
160.....		Willis, Jonathan	11 10
415.....		Wistar, Caspar	114 90
433.....	163	White, James	91 95
160.....		Willis, Jonathan	11 10
461.....		Yardley, Wm	47 09
		FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.	
100.....		Burchfield, Wm	5 05
10.....		Hicks, Abram	1 42
150.....		Thomas, Peacock (ow'r)	12 00
		GREGG TOWNSHIP.	
130.....		Askin, Robt	4 68
110.....		Mosely, Jacob	2 65
130.....		Mercer, John	4 03
120.....		Reese, Daniel	4 99
150.....		Zeigler, Michael	1 79
52.....		A Custer's est (owner)	3 09
		HAINES TOWNSHIP.	
363.....	60	Barr, Thomas	6 51
406.....	60	Barr, Margt	7 25
87.....		Barrows, John of	1 20
375.....	60	Barr, James	6 73
388.....	60	Barr, Mary	6 92
154.....		Beck, Henry	2 96
446.....	28	Dudbridge, Hannah	5 92
181.....		Fees, Jacob	2 49
406.....	89	Grats, Michael	7 23
400.....		Grats, Bernard	5 35
262.....	140	Gilliman, H & S Snyder	17 06
253.....		Gilliman, H & S Snyder	12 93
435.....		Hall, Chas	16 90
400.....	60	Links, Mary	7 20
106.....		Lowery	1 38
200.....		Parker, Wm	1 78
170.....		Stover & Wolf	3 04
88.....		Fidd, Wm	83
150.....		D Hensel (owner)	1 33
125.....		D Hensel (owner)	1 10
25.....	139	Wiess, John & Sol Nidigh	45
		HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.	
48.....		Beck, Dani	13 86
95.....		Keith, Jacob	28 40
216.....		Lamburn, Josiah	32 28
24.....		Jacob Vanpool (owner)	4 86
63.....	89	C Vanpool "	9 33
67.....	76	C Vanpool "	11 52
45.....		C Vanpool "	3 68
		HARRIS TOWNSHIP.	
400.....		Andre, Absolom	3 80
133.....		Fox, Geo	1 89
400.....		Harrison, Wm	3 80
50.....		Irvin, John	1 23
400.....		Parker, Richard	3 80
400.....		Reed, James	3 80
407.....	92	Wharton, Kearney	4 33
100.....		Young, Saml	96
		HOWARD TOWNSHIP.	
107.....	104	Brown, Saml	6 68

Sales.

136.....	92	Harris, Jas D	3 81
55.....		Harris, Jas D	2 09
160.....		Willis, Jon, S E End	14 32
160.....		Willis, Jonathan	14 31
		HUSTON TOWNSHIP.	
433.....	163	Barter, James	25 10
120.....		Kuhn, Adam	8 88
59.....		Kuhns	4 34
433.....	163	Price, John	25 10
433.....	163	Rollington, John	35 11
433.....	163	Wheeland, John	25 11
		LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.	
166.....		Hayes, Robt & Jas	25 95
171.....		Hess, Geo D	10 87
309.....	3	Irvin, Robt	29 64
310.....		Jackson Jere	22 63
180.....		Lytle, Peter	6 80
150.....		Lytle, Peter	6 05
175.....		Quigley, James A	19 56
168.....		Shaw & Lingle	8 21
349.....		Smith, Christian	16 72
		MARION TOWNSHIP.	
17.....		Lewis, Robt	4 07
37.....	100	McKinney, David	6 20
70.....		Rohrer, Chris	18 06
50.....		Wm Tilghman (owner)	12 90
100.....		J P Harris "	12 30
19.....		Isaac Frain "	7 04
28.....		John Zeigler "	7 98
60.....		Yarger, Simon	4 02
60.....		Yarger, Simon	4 02
200.....		Young, Robt	22 80
		MILES TOWNSHIP.	
430.....		Brady, Robt	7 94
41½.....		Brady, Hannah	7 56
255.....		Brady, Jane	4 70
200.....		Brady, John	3 70
440.....		Brady, Wm P	8 14
146.....		Brady, Wm	2 66
424.....		Calhoun, Geo	7 80
403.....		Carothers, James	7 42
150.....		Cooper, Wm	2 78
320.....		Fearon, Joseph	5 92
429.....		Gray, Robt	7 88
476.....		Grant, Thomas	8 78
203.....		Hamer, Wm	5 77
460.....		Hunter, Alex	8 50
434.....		Jackson, Jeremiah	6 28
320.....		Kitts, Geo	5 92
300.....		Levy, Aaron	5 45
425.....		Norton, Saml	7 83
300.....		Parker, Wm	5 54
324.....		Parker, Richard	5 98
324.....		Parker, Jeremiah	5 98
58.....		Parker, Wm	1 03
125.....		Stedman, Wm	2 91
200.....		Smith, Thomas	3 70
100.....		Scott, Abraham	1 84
50.....		Scott, Saml	91
150.....		Scott, Abraham	2 77
90.....		Scott, Sam'l	1 65
130.....		Taggert, Robert	2 39
275.....		Tripp, John	5 07
425.....		Toland, Henry	7 83
100.....		Long, C (owner)	1 75
125.....		Wharton, Moore	2 38
425.....		William, David	7 82
		PENN TOWNSHIP.	
150.....		Armstrong, James	6 00
150.....	10	Cowdon, John	6 00
112.....	19	Cowdon, John	3 91
150.....		Hamilton, Thomas	6 00
150.....		Hepburn, James	6 00
116.....	31	Hepburn, James	4 08
150.....		Kennedy, John	6 00
150.....		Kennedy, James	6 00
104.....	89	Kennedy, And	3 62
108.....	131	Kennedy, John	3 72
113.....	8	Kennedy, James	3 61
200.....		Lyon, Robert	8 00
200.....		Lyon, Ezekial	8 00
208.....		Lyon, Benj	8 00
100.....		Montgomery, Wm	4 00
100.....		Montgomery, Dan'l	4 00
200.....		M'Calley, Wm	8 00
200.....		McCalley, John	8 00
		POTTER TOWNSHIP.	
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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—The sun rises at 5:08 and sets at 6:49.

—Sunday, the 20th, was known in the church year as "Low Sunday."

—Improvements of some sort are in progress in all parts of the town.

—Most of the hard drinkers got gloriously full before local option began.

—Bellefonte is said to be the liveliest town in Pennsylvania at the present time.

—There are indications of fresh paint in front of Judge John Irvin's High street residence.

—Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin* insinuates that P. G. Meek angles for trout with a silver hook.

—Those who were the chief movers in securing the right of way for the Beech Creek and Bellefonte railroad deserve high praise.

—We hear of some desirable properties which their owners are anxious to sell. A line in the DAILY NEWS might prove profitable to them.

—Since the return of Miss Mary Cook from Clifton Springs her health has greatly improved, and her friends are much encouraged in consequence.

—Some of the hydrants in the higher parts of the town emit such feeble streams of water as to almost exhaust the patience of those who wait until a bucket is filled.

—Mongolians are being added to the Hungarian and Italian railroad workers hereabouts. It is difficult to distinguish the representatives of these various nationalities.

—Mr. Michael Morrison is making extensive improvements to his residence on Lamb street. With new weather boards and fresh paint the transformation will be quite noticeable.

—The Bierly Brothers, of Moose Run, near Milesburg, are erecting a new house on the corner of their farm to be occupied by Mr. John Rankin. The workmen are now busy lathing it.

—They have something new in the way of a floor sprinkler at the Pennsylvania R. R. depot in this place. But the operator advises extreme care in handling the machine or it will "go back on you."

—Two new switch boards have been ordered for the Bellefonte Telephone Exchange and the one now in use will be taken to Lock Haven. Bellefonte has the largest exchange in this vicinity with the exception of Williamsport.

—The Presbyterian church of Milroy and Siglerville, Mifflin county, has severed its connection with the presbytery of Huntingdon, adopted the name of Free Presbyterian church of Milroy and Siglerville and extended a formal call to the Rev. J. W. White to become its pastor.

—Last Saturday morning the farmers in this community were invited to assemble in Bellefonte with whatever produce they have for sale, the council having appointed that time for the opening of the curb market. There is not, of course, much variety in what the farmers have for sale thus early in the season, but there soon will be.

—Mr. C. E. Shaffer, a well known and popular teacher in the schools of Centre county, has opened a select school at Marsh Creek for the purpose of preparing young ladies and gentlemen to teach. The school is in a flourishing condition. The success of Mr. Shaffer as a teacher is well attested by the fact that the people of a community in which he is engaged never want to part with him.

—The law firm of Beaver & Gephart have placed in the Y. M. C. A. reading room several weekly papers, and the following dailies: *Harrisburg Patriot, Lancaster Examiner* and the *Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.* These are valuable additions and very thankfully received. There are now nine daily papers to be found on the tables of the reading room, and are free to all. Surely this is a privilege which ought to be appreciated in a reading community like Bellefonte. Visit the rooms and see what is to be found there.

—It will be noticed that the borough council has passed an ordinance forbidding the blowing of steam whistles within the limits of the borough. Now that the ordinance has been passed it should be enforced for all that is in it. But isn't there an excess of squeamishness in regard to this? There is as little of this sort of nuisance in Bellefonte as in any town we ever lived in and we are quite sure that they will not injure anyone. Besides, it seems to us that the sound of a steam whistle is suggestive of business and industry; they tell the strangers that a town is alive and that it is the abode of progress, enterprise, labor and wealth. Don't despise the day of steam whistles.

Railroads and Depots.

The new depot buildings for the Bald Eagle Valley R. R. in this place will very soon be in process of erection. The work of constructing them is now in the hands of Supt. S. S. Blair and if they are not commenced soon the condemnation for delay will properly attach to that gentleman. Hon. L. A. Mackey, President of the Company, employed his best efforts to have the freight depot located on the property of the Company on Thomas street, but in that was unsuccessful. Consequently, both the passenger and freight depots will be located south of High street. The dimensions of the passenger depot will be 50x30 ft. and it will be located nearer the mill race than the present building. There will be no tracks east of the passenger depot, but two tracks will be laid west of it, one of which will pass over the site now occupied by the passenger depot and the other will occupy the vacant space between that and Mr. Meek's residence. From the southern extremity of the railroad track another track will extend a short distance in the opposite direction along Spring creek, and between this track and the other two tracks the freight depot will be located.

Mr. Mackey arrived in Bellefonte from Philadelphia on Tuesday at 5 o'clock p. m. While in Philadelphia he met Gov. Curtin and together they made arrangements to have the work upon the buildings commenced as early as possible. Mr. Mackey also informed us that the contracts for the B., N. and L. R. R. will be given in a very few days.

It is also worthy of note that Mr. Philip Collins arrived from Philadelphia the same evening. Senator Wallace was expected to be a passenger on the same train and General Beaver and other gentlemen had assembled at the depot armed with the $25,000 bond to submit to that gentleman. But he was not on the train, having taken a different route to reach his destination. Mr. Philip Collins said, however, that the bond is acceptable and work on the B. C. and B. railroad will proceed at once.

Reference to the $25,000 bond, reminds us of the fact that it was almost lost on Monday. Gen. Beaver and J. L. Spangler, Esq., visited Milesburg with it to secure signatures and among other places visited was Kohlbecker's Central City Hotel. Mr. Spangler handed the valuable roll of manuscript to Gen. Beaver who thrust it, as he supposed, into his pocket. When the gentlemen reached Bellefonte they searched for the bond without finding it in their pockets. As quick as a flash Gen. Beaver wheeled around and drove back to Central City. He found the bond quite easily. The connection between the losing of the bond and the gentlemen's visit to the Kohlbecker's famous place of entertainment can be traced by the imaginative mind.

We are informed that a small railroad "gathering" was held in the office of Beaver & Gephart on Wednesday at which such arrangements were made as will satisfy all parties and will ensure the completion of the Beech Creek and Bellefonte railroad.

—The sociable held under the auspices of the Y. W. C. T. U. at the residence of John P. Harris on Linn street on Tuesday evening, was the most enjoyable gathering that has yet taken place in connection with the organization. There was a large attendance of young people. Soap-bubble blowing was the most entertaining diversion engaged in and was productive of much amusement. Pipes bound with ribbon are distributed which are so arranged as to be in pairs, one of each pair being given to a gentleman and the other to a lady. Then the gentleman searches for the lady in possession of the pipe corresponding to his and devotes himself to her during the evening. A trial of skill in blowing bubbles is then commenced and the best bubble-blower is rewarded with a prize. Among the fortunate contestants on Tuesday evening was Messrs. Whit Moyer and Ed. Speer. The latter was rewarded with a small toy representing a monkey riding a bicycle and the former drew a picture card depicting sleeping innocence—an infant asleep in its carriage. Miss Lyon, who was present, entertained the company with some very choice and well rendered vocal music and Miss Hoffer delighted the cultivated ear with instrumental selections of a high order.

—Jack Frost visited Bellefonte last Wednesday morning, placing his icy fingers with chilling effect on the tender buds and leaves which have put in appearance. We hope that this will be Jack's last visit until September.

Tree Planting in Bellefonte and Centre County.

An effort is being made to introduce in Bellefonte and ultimately throughout Centre county a beautiful custom which prevails in many parts of the country and is now becoming quite common, namely: that of planting shade and ornamental trees on a given day throughout the community. The experiment will be made this year on a small scale, but sufficiently extended to determine whether or not our people generally will take an interest in the subject. Three hundred trees of different varieties have been ordered from one of the best nurseries in Western New York which will be distributed, at their actual cost, to those desiring to plant trees. An effort will also be made to furnish boxes at a very low price, so that the entire cost of trees and boxes will probably be less than persons usually pay for the bare trees. When the trees arrive they will be distributed from L. L. Brown's coal yard, at their actual cost, to persons willing to pay for them. If any remain after such persons are supplied they will be given to any person in the Borough of Bellefonte who will agree to carefully plant, box and care for them. It is hoped in this way to have a uniformity in planting which has not heretofore prevailed throughout the town. In view of the fact that the borough authorities have authorized trees to be planted outside the gutters, would it not be well for all persons who have their trees planted inside the curb to plant another row on the outside of the gutters so that the older ones can be removed as the new ones grow up? In this way we might soon have regular avenues throughout the town and the unsightly and inconvenient elevations in some of our pavements caused by the roots of trees planted within the curb be eventually removed. This is a subject in which every one of our citizens should take a lively interest, and we hope to see tree planting day in Bellefonte generally observed this year and the custom greatly extended in the years to come. The date for the distribution of trees will be announced as soon as the trees arrive.

—Miss S. Ohnmacht, the accomplished music teacher, met with an accident on Monday, the 21st. She was driving in an open buggy to Milesburg and when in the vicinity of McCoy & Linn's forge a huge dog ran out into the street, barking fiercely. This caused the horse to jump to one side overturning the buggy and throwing Miss Ohnmacht out. Mr. Frank McCoy ran to her assistance and helped her into his house where, after she had rested for some time, she was able to return to Bellefonte in one of Mr. McCoy's conveyances. She was considerably bruised though not at all seriously injured. The horse was of course frightened and ran, dragging the buggy behind it, until the vehicle came in contact with a large charcoal wagon, reducing it, we are told, to a wreck. The horse was then caught by one of Mr. McCoy's employes. The buggy was the property of Mr. Lose, the liveryman.

The Bell Waterphone.

We do not understand the exact use of the Bell Waterphone, two of which the council decided on Monday evening, the 21st, to order. If reports are correct, however, they have proved to be very useful in other places, notably in Buffalo, Rochester, Toledo, Hoboken and Milwaukee. In these places where they are in use, the water supply has been materially reduced and is under systematic control.

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—Mr. Teller, a brother-in-law of the Bierly Brothers residing near Milesburg, has finished a very handsome residence near the old homestead built on the cottage style. Everything about the house has the appearance of perfect order and neatness. All the parts are complete, exposing no rough, unfinished edges, and no convenience seems to be lacking. Even the hitching posts in front of the dwelling have chains attached to fasten the horse. When Mr. Teller undertakes any work he pushes it forward to completion.

—Many tramps have concluded to make Bellefonte their summer headquarters.

Decoration Day Orders.

Robert B. Beath, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has issued the following orders relative to Memorial Day:

"The Grand Army observes on May 30 next, for the sixteenth time, the beautiful custom of strewing with flowers the graves of our dead comrades. Memorial day will be observed by our people so long as our flag floats over a united nation, and it is our duty, as the survivors of the armies and navies, whose deeds of valor and patriotism shed such a lustre upon the annals of our country, to see that the ceremonies appropriate to the day and occasion are properly directed. These ceremonies cannot revive antagonisms of the past; they should stir up in our hearts not only tender recollections of the memories of the dead, but also a more exalted patriotism and devotion to country in the future. Each post will, in compliance with the rules and regulations, in its own way arrange for the proper observance of the day."

—No work is being done at the present time on the new Catholic church edifice which was commenced last fall. Rev. Father McArdle expects to receive the drawings for it from the architect during this week when he expects to advertise for proposals for its construction. The receipt of the drawings has already been delayed longer than was originally expected. It is hoped that the structure will be reared this summer as far as the roof, but further progress than that is not anticipated as it is Rev. Father McArdle's determination not to spend money more rapidly than the subscriptions are received. This is a resolution in which we are sure all sensible people will concur, and it would be far better never to allow any churches to incur debt, either in management or in erecting new buildings. Consequently a considerable period of time will probably elapse before the completion of the new Catholic church building, but when finished it will be a credit to the church, the town and everybody concerned in its erection.

Meeting of Council.

An application was received on Monday evening, the 21st, by the Borough Council to declare Beaver street open. Referred to the Street committee.

The subject of crossings near the new bridge was also referred to the same committee.

The wages of the engineer at the water works and superintendent of water pipes were fixed at $2 per day.

On motion, two waterphones were ordered, the rental of which will be $25 per annum payable semi-annually in advance.

An ordinance was passed prohibiting the blowing of steam whistles within the limits of the borough.

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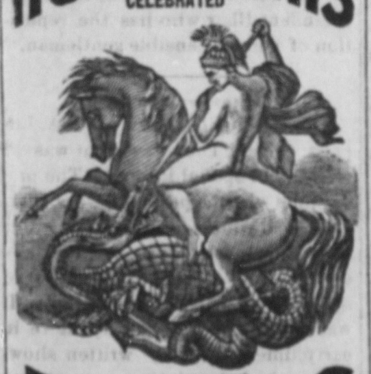

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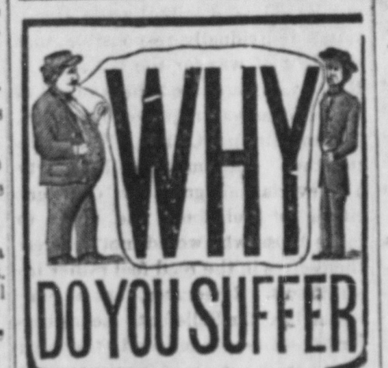

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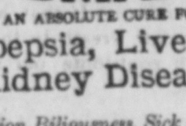
Oculist.  Aurist.

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Local Department.

—Miss Kate Ulrich is quite ill at her father's home in Millheim.

—The Spring bonnet is lovely and worth its weight in greenbacks.

—A letter in the Bellefonte post office is addressed "Mrs. M. E. Holmes, Centre Co., Pa."

—The Aaronsburg Reformed congregation are about to build a $7,000 house of worship.

—Philipsburg is begging piteously for some sort of an illumination for its streets at night.

—Mr. I. Wolf is erecting a new residence in Madisonburg of which William Hazel is the contractor.

—Lock Haven is organizing a base ball nine; Frank Lingle would like a similar movement in Bellefonte.

—What causes such a scarcity of butter at this particular time of year? Many dealers ask thirty cents for it.

—The NEWS is grateful to Mr. Swavely of the Opera House *Gazette* for kind words in the issue of that paper which appeared on Saturday.

—The Convocation of Williamsport, of which the P. E. church in Bellefonte forms a part, will meet this week in St. James' church, Muncy.

—We once knew a little girl who got the terms minister and minstrel hopelessly confused; not having a very exact idea of the special avocation of either.

—Frank Weaver has torn down the old Cronemiller homestead in Aaronsburg, and expects that an elegant residence surmounted by a Mansard roof will occupy the spot before the Summer ends.

—The Telephone Exchange is now lighted by electricity. Such a light should be almost unnecessary where there are two such particularly bright young ladies as now occupy the Exchange.

—The strike among the miners at Snow Shoe continues. We are informed that the strikers' requests for a restoration of former wages have been acceded to but that an advance is asked for.

—This (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock confirmation services will be held in the P. E. church of this place, Rev. Bishop M. A. DeWolfe Howe having signified his intention to be present for that purpose.

—A horse belonging to Mr. James Murphy, of Renovo, ran away on Friday last, smashing the delivery wagon and injuring the horse. Mr. Murphy is one of the proprietors of Valentines' Store Co., this place.

—A lady living at Pine, Clinton county, sent President Arthur a wreath of arbutus, receiving his thanks in return. If that lady will send a similar wreath in this direction, we'll contribute our share of thank, too.

—George Washington Mifflin Dallas Kennedy is the champion sleeper of Centre county. An electric current from sixty-five cells of battery failed to wake him from a sound slumber. He wants to know if the Snow Shoe train has arrived, due Wednesday evening. Will some one please inform him.

—Cultivate the habit of observation until it becomes fixed, and you will never be at a loss for employment for your thoughts. Every person you meet will, in the peculiarity of character presented, afford food for thought; every event of prominence, and every object of nature, will thus be the means of intellectual developments.

—Girls, there are said to be a few real live Counts among the railroad workers recently imported to Bellefonte. To be sure, an Italian Count is not worth much in his own country, but American girls seem to count considerable on a title of that sort. Therefore, if you aspire to be a countess go in and win.

—The Centre Hall *Reporter* says that Treasurer Keller took 57 head of stall fed cattle through that place, a few days ago, which were shipped by cars to Philadelphia. They were all fine fellows and will attract the lovers of good beef in the Quaker City. Of this number ten head were fed by Dr. Hale and have increased in weight from 10,442 lbs. last fall to 14,000 this spring. Nine head came from Major W. F. Reynolds' stables and now weigh 12,462 lbs. Seventeen were from E. C. Humes' stalls, their weight being 19,556lbs. Ten head grew fat in Geo. Durst's stalls, tipping the scales at 14,728lbs; one heifer alone 1,108. Ten head from Mr. John Hoffer's stables increased during the winter from 9,670 lbs to 14,000.

Inspecting the Military.

Col. D. H. Hastings, of the Fifth regiment, has issued the following order:

HEADQUARTERS OF FIFTH REGIMENT, NATIONAL GUARD OF PENNSYLVANIA, BELLEFONTE Pa., April 21, 1884.

General orders, No. 1.

1. Having been elected colonel of the Fifth Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, the undersigned hereby assumes command.

II. The appointment of Henry S. Hale as adjutant it hereby announced. He will be respected and obeyed accordingly.

III. The brigade inspector, Major James P. Sayer, has fixed the following dates for the inspection of the several companies of the Fifth regiment:

Company A, Monday, May, 12, at 1 o'clock p. m.; company B, Wednesday, May 14, at 6.30 p. m.; company C, Tuesday, May 13, at 10 a. m.; company D, Monday, May 12, at 8 p. m.; company F, Friday, June 27, at 10 a. m.; company G, Thursday, May 15, at 8 p. m.; company H, Friday, June 27, at 7.30 p. m.; company I, Monday, June 30, at 6.30 p. m.

IV. The inspection will, in addition to the other duties of the inspector, include an examination of the condition of the clothing, arms, equipments and other state property; also the care and expenditure of the state funds, an examination of the company books and company armories.

V. Company commanders will make immediate preparations for the inspection of their several companies; and they will, within one week of the date of their respective inspections as designated in paragraph III, severally inspect their companies in all particulars so fully and completely as brigade inspectors have heretofore done. They will make prompt detailed reports thereof to these headquarters.

The regimental commander will accompany the brigade inspector, and will be present of each of his inspections.

D. H. HASTINGS, Colonel.

Advantages of a Competing Railroad.

We are informed, and have the best reason for crediting the information, that General James A. Beaver and Hon. Daniel G. Bush (we feel like spelling their names and titles out as full as possible) made themselves individually responsible that the right of way for the B. C. and B. R. R. shall not exceed the amount of the bond, as was required by Messrs. McLaughlin and Collins. This entitles these gentlemen to the hearty and everlasting gratitude of every citizen of Bellefonte and ought to make those who would not interest themselves in the road feel rather insignificant. Remember, that a competing line for Bellefonte means better times for every citizen in the town and there is not a man, however great or humble, who will not be benefited by it. We conversed with a gentleman on Wednesday who is interested in the price of commodities for sale in Bellefonte and who has direct experience in the payment of freights from all parts of the country. For instance, he mentioned a certain class of goods which he brings from Grand Rapids, Mich., and pays freight at the rate of 67 cents per hundred pounds. He could bring the same goods to Lock Haven for 32 cents per hundred, making the freight from the latter place to Bellefonte (26 miles) greater than the freight from Grand Rapids to Lock Haven (hundreds of miles). The injustice of this is apparent and it is an evil that a rival line will completely eradicate. With cheaper freights the price of goods will be lessened and many articles which Bellefonters now are compelled to pay a fancy price for will then be delivered at our doors at city prices.

Road Tax.

The Brookville *Jeffersonian* prints this: "The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has rendered several decisions of general interest in the matter of road tax. The right of farmers to work out their road tax has generally been conceded, but supervisors in a few townships insist that the tax must be paid in money. A test case has been decided in favor of the taxpayers, and their right to work out their tax distinctly and finally affirmed. In other cases collectors of road tax have claimed a commission on the part worked out, as well as that paid into the township treasury. The Supreme Court decided that all claims for such commissions should be rejected, the working out of a tax imposing no labor on the collector or treasurer, but on the supervisor, who is paid for his services."

—A two year old child of Mr. Houtz, of Brush Valley, was hit on the head with a sharp stone on Monday, the 21st, and it is now in a critical condition.

Evening Echoes.

Friday night was the time when the calendar announced that there would be a new moon, but that fair pale luminary was not visible. However, the gas and electricity and even some oil lamps were brightly lighted. Then, too, the stars were out and their lustrous beauty emitted a radiance that was quite cheerful.

The streets were thronged. After the toil of a day the laborer employed the twilight and evening hours in out-of-door recreation. To such these are the pleasantest hours in the twenty-four which complete a daily cycle. Young people who were disposed to be companionable paraded the streets. Even those of very tender years and those of great age were observed mingling with the multitude. These people did not enter the stores; evidently their mission forth upon the streets was all of pleasure without any thought of business connected with it. The tradesmen looked in vain for customers; happy people did not enter to buy.

Business men tell us that several days of last week were unaccountably dull; whereas Saturday was an unusually busy one. Thus it often happens without apparent cause; stores may be almost deserted for a day or two and again may be filled with customers from morning until eve.

The hours passed away. The night grew chill and damp. The freezer was emptied of its ice cream and water ice and the concluding fizz of the soda fountain passed away on the midnight air. "Put me in my little bed," sang the one who was too weary to put himself there, and Morpheus ruled the town.

A Wreck on the Snow Shoe R. R.

On Wednesday evening the combination passenger and freight train on the Bellefonte and Snow Shoe R. R. ran off the track a short distance this side of Snow Shoe. The engine plunged into an embankment and four cars followed the locomotive from the track. The passengers in the coaches were considerably shaken up, but were not injured. The construction train was summoned and the men worked all night, the track not being cleared until about 5 o'clock next morning.

The tickets of the passengers had been lifted, but as they could not wait all night for the train to proceed they combined and hired a team of horses and a large wagon to bring them to Bellefonte, thus paying double passage money and experiencing the two fold inconvenience of a wreck and transportation over rough roads to town.

It is suggested that, in view of the increasing frequency of wrecks on this road (one occurring on Saturday night, the 19th, and another on Wednesday night), that hereafter the passengers will do well not to hand over their tickets until the end of the journey is reached. We honestly believe that it will be to the interest of the Pennsylvania R. R. to make the Snow Shoe branch more secure, and recommend the suggestion to Superintendent Blair who has the reputation of being a sensible gentleman.

Literary Society.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Literary Society Thursday night was an occasion of special interest. The programme was of a purely literary character, and consisted of the following: Four readings, two essays, and one declamation. Mr. H. M. Wetzel read an essay on "A Country Store." It was descriptive of a country store in early times, was ably written showing marked descriptive power, and abounded in humor. A humorous reading by W. H. Keller on a system of motive power for canals was very well delivered. Mr. Harry Keller gave a declamation entitled "The Bridge of Sighs." The piece was recited exceeding well, and drew forth a round of applause. After the regular programme was completed, the hour being early, it was decided to spend a half hour in the discussion of some question. One of the members proposed the present system of trial by jury. The question was opened by W. F. Speer opposing the system in a stirring speech. He then placed himself in readiness to be interrogated. Many questions were asked him which he answered. The opposite side was contested mainly by Harry Keller, Theo. Orbison, and Willie Keller. Some very eloquent speeches were made. At the close of the discussion a vote of the Society was taken which showed nine in favor of the present system and five against it.

—Track is being put down on the Spring Mills and Lemont Railroad and the construction train is expected to reach Centre Hall inside of three weeks. At this time last year the prospects for the building of this road were quite different. Indignation is giving way to rejoicing over the fact of an almost completed road.

Progress in Union Township.

ED. REPUBLICAN: Notwithstanding the downward tendency of the times, many events of interest are occurring in Union township. Quite a large amount of forest has been grubbed and chopped off ready for the fire to clear up, which will be added to the different farms to be seeded to wheat this fall. This of course will be an improvement. The prospect for a harvest is favorable. Grain looks "boss." Spring farming is pretty well on. Oats are generally all seeded and corn ground is about ready for planting.

In the valley of Dix Run two large barns are being built on the properties of G. Alexander and R. Comely. A neat dwelling is being erected for I Parsons by Mr. Henry Holter of Howard. Three miles northeast of Unionville H. Hoover & Son are running a shingle mill where they have on hand shingles 18-in., 24-in. and 26-in. in length, all manufactured from prime timber. The well known mill of Raup & Sons will be set up soon on the lands of L. Brugger, as they intend manufacturing lumber there the present season. Bark peeling will soon commence. Several hundred tons have been contracted for, which will be shipped over one road, along with from a half million to a million feet of lumber. The shipping point for said bark and lumber is Unionville.

Should the season be wet, woe be unto the road! The supervisor will have a good chance to learn how to make and keep up roads.

The health of our people is generally good. In all parts of the township they are awaiting the coming convention that will declare who shall be the nominee for President. The trumpet of Union township is sounding for Blaine. Give us Blaine and you will hit us right. We don't want to be odd, to differ from our neighbors. The sound is general for Blaine and Lincoln.

I have given you some of the doings of Union township in this downward tendency of the times. Give us the right men for our leaders. Establish confidence in the minds of men and Union township will compete with the world.

P. H. B.

Minus a Market.

There was only one lonely meat wagon at market Saturday morning. Perhaps the news of the beginning of market was not sufficiently circulated and perhaps the venders of produce had nothing to sell. Be that as it may, there is an opposition to the market, as at present constituted, among many Bellefonters and that we may not be understood as taking sides with either of the contending parties, permit us to state that we do not care a "continental" (excuse the slang) whether the curb market continues or not. Some of the business men have informed the council that their rights must be respected this year. Their complaint is we believe, that the market interferes with their trade and they cannot regulate a proper supply when the market exists. Then they are compelled to pay a certain license, or tax, when the market man only pays a paltry ten cents—hardly sufficient to keep the market place in order. We merely state the above as the burden of their complaint and don't vouch for the facts. Well, when the market we shall visit it occasionally when the attractions of lettuce, spring chickens, strawberries, cherries, smear case, pretty rural lassies, etc., are potent enough to call us forth from much needed slumbers at a sufficiently early hour; and market we shall do as they are said to do in France—get along without it. Remember that business men are not opposed to the market as a market, but insist that those who sell shall be taxed in proper proportion with other dealers.

EDITOR OF THE REPUBLICAN: Since it is in order to suggest a proper person to fill the office of President Judge of this Judicial District, I therefore name a member of the Bellefonte bar, who would fill the office with ability and dignity. The person referred to is a graduate of Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Pa. He graduated in September, 1875, with the honors of his class, came to Bellefonte and entered the office of Bush, Yocum & Hastings, as a law student; was admitted to the bar in May, 1877, and since then he has been associated with Col. Hastings and made a brilliant success as an attorney. Is it necessary to name the man referred to, Wilbur F. Reeder?—a man of high, noble and exalted character, eminently qualified for the office.

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

—The bright light reflected on the clouds in the northwest Sunday evening indicated fires on the mountains or the destruction of some rural buildings. Which was it?

Blundering Blasts.

Of course, the first word in the above title is chosen only for the sake of euphony, but the offense to which we desire to draw attention is one which should cease at once, and that is the practice of exploding such powerful blasts at the lime kilns near town as to render it extremely dangerous to all residents of that section. One day last week—Saturday, we believe—a blast of unusual power was exploded, throwing fifty-pound stones all the way over into Beaver street. One stone struck a house, the force of the concussion jarring the house considerably. In another instance we are informed a mother had just removed her little child from a spot where, a few minutes later, a huge stone fell which if it had struck the child, would have transformed it into an angel. The people who are in constant danger from these blasts are discussing the expediency of petitioning the court to issue an injunction restraining the lime kiln owners from continuing their blasting operations. But we believe that with ordinary care all danger can be removed.

—We notice a fine display of base ball goods in one of the show windows of Green's drug store, including bats and balls, wire masks and flags; in fact, about everything necessary for scientific playing with the exception of a stuffed umpire. Harry is one of our most active supporters of the national game and has laid in this complete stock with the hopes of awakening a new interest in the game hereabouts. Lovers of the game in Bellefonte should, and no doubt will, appreciate his efforts in this direction.

OBITUARY.

Mr. John Stitzer, a resident of Howard, died on Thursday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, of that dread disease, consumption. He had been ill a long time, but not more than five weeks ago was able to visit Bellefonte, and seemed to be quite strong. Therefore, the announcement of his death will prove to be a surprise to his many friends. He was an uncle of Mr. John Olewine, of Jas. Harris & Co.'s hardware store and a brother-in-law of Mr. Steele Hunter. His age was about forty years. He leaves a wife and one child.

To Builders and Contractors.

The architect employed by Rev. P. McArdle to design the new Catholic church edifice has forwarded the drawings to Bellefonte and an advertisement for proposals for the stone foreground masonry appeared in the *News* last week. This will be news of importance to all contractors and builders, who are invited to read the "ad." and proceed as its terms dictate. This, we imagine, is an unusually good contract to secure and we hope some Bellefonte contractor will be the lucky one.

—One of the most disagreeable occurrences to which a pedestrian is exposed just now is to have one of the small flies or gnats with which the air is inhabited swoop directly into his eye. There are some people who can seldom appear without one of these winged tormentors mistaking his optics for electric lights. Just imagine how aggravating it is to the pompous pedestrian to be stopped short suddenly by one of these insignificant insects.

"Comparisons are Odious."

"This absolutely prevents the building of the road, and the project *will have to be abandoned.*"—*Centre Democrat of April* 17.

"The bond has been fully indemnified and the building of the road is now a foregone conclusion."—*Centre Democrat of April* 24.

Oh consistency, thou art a jewel! You pay your money and take your choice.

B. C. and B. R. R.

We were again assured by Mr. Philip Collins, on Thursday that the arrangements in regard to the building of the B. C. and B. R. R. are proceeding satisfactorily and he will put men to work soon. "You want the road and we want to build it," was one of his forcible sentences containing much truth in a nutshell.

—Whistling has the effect of reducing the size of the mouth. Sufficient practice will reduce a four-inch mouth to about three inches. Girls who want to eat an entire buckwheat cake at a mouthful should not whistle, but those who prefer beauty and are willing to eat half a cake at a time will do well to practice the art.

—The wedding is announced on Thursday in Hublersburg of Mr. Charles McClellan and Miss Mina Haupt, daughter of Mr. Isaac Haupt, all of this place. The happy couple arrived in Bellefonte Friday afternoon. They have our congratulations.

—Mr. A. J. Cruse, the tobacconist, is making arrangements to erect a dwelling house on Lamb street.

Personal Pencilings.

Mrs. Susan Harter of Millheim, is visiting friends in Harrisburg.

Prof. Robb, late of Mifflinburg, has opened a select school in Centre Hall.

Mr. Linn Longwell, of the First National Bank, has been ill for several days past.

Dr. W. C. VanValin, of Unionville spent a few hours in Bellefonte on Wednesday.

James Lenker, of Aaronsburg, who went west a few days ago, expects to locate in Nebraska.

Mr. Lincoln Musser has returned from Philadelphia after a very pleasant two-weeks' visit.

Mr. Louis Doll has returned to Bellefonte after quite an extended trip through the West.

Mr. E. E. Bressler, who taught school at Coburn all winter, departed a few days ago for Ohio.

R. M. Magee, Esq., returned at 5 o'clock on Friday from one of his numerous business trips.

Hon. L. A. Mackey, of Lock Haven, registered at the Girard House, Philadelphia, on Sunday, the 20th.

Mr. Win Montgomery saw Forepaugh's white elephant while in Philadelphia and considers it genuine.

Miss Ida Shafer has returned to her home in Madisonburg after a pleasant visit to Lock Haven and Williamsport.

H. Y. Stitzer, Esq., conducted the testimony meeting in Y. M. C. A. hall on Sunday afternoon in an admirable manner.

Dr. T. C. VanTries, of Pennsylvania Furnace, spent part of Tuesday in Bellefonte with his brother, Mr. Geo. VanTries.

Mr. Levy, operator in the superintendent's office in Tyrone, spent Monday, the 21st, among his friends in Bellefonte.

Mr. Samuel Winters, quite an aged citizen of Millheim, is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Michael Ulrich in Millheim.

Mr. H. K. Hicks is temporarily alone, his pleasant wife and family having departed Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Miss Ray Green, daughter of Dorsey Green, Esq., of Buffalo Run, has been quite ill with pneumonia but is now recovering.

Mr. Nicolls, accompanied by his wife, nee Miss Clara Lyon, arrived in Bellefonte at 5 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, the 22d,

Rev. Dr. Hamill, of Oak Hall, added his agreeable presence to the number of distinguished people in Bellefonte to-day.

Christian Dale, Esq., makes frequent visits to Bellefonte. He is one of the prominent Patrons of Husbandry of Centre county.

Mr. Thomas Taylor, of Unionville, was in town on Monday. He used his influence in favor of the best interests of that borough.

Hon. L. A. Mackey, of Lock Haven, placed his signature on the Bush House register on Friday. He arrived on the 5 o'clock train.

Rev. S. E. Furst, of the Lutheran church, visited State College on Sunday afternoon for the purpose of conducting services at that institution.

Chas. Stover, of Farmers Mills, who is attending Franklin and Marshall College, will conduct a select school in Aaronsburg during the coming summer.

Mrs. George W. Stover, of Millheim, sister of J. C. Harper, Esq., has been ill for a long time and the efforts of her numerous friends in her behalf seem to be futile.

Mr. Nicolls, son-in-law of S. S. Lyon, Esq., was a passenger on the out-going train Friday morning. His wife, nee Miss Clara Lyon, is still in Bellefonte at the residence of her father.

Mr. P. H. Bush of Union township, paid Bellefonte a visit on Monday. Mr. Bush and "ye reporter" once served their country as jurors on the same case, of which Mr. B. has a distinct remembrance.

Mr. W. A. Tobias, one of the popular young men of Centre county and now located in Millheim, greeted his numerous friends in Bellefonte last week. Don't know whether he is a candidate for office or not, but he has been in retirement about long enough.

A Bold Theft.

On Monday afternoon, April 21, a large, heavy-set man with red whiskers, entered Mr. Wm. Burrell's residence near Penn Hall, during the absence of the family, and found two good watches, a plated chain and 25 cents in change—in all worth about $25. As soon as the loss of these articles was discovered Mr. Burrell accompanied by his father, Mr. George Burrell, pursued after the thief but lost trace of him in Millheim. Persons who saw the man give the above description of him.